LOCAL NEWS

BY DOROTHY DENNE

Dorothy's Place

Christmas Before Plastic

(Think Jingle Bells)
Dashing through the mall,
It is panic time today.
Ten more gifts to buy,
Money's gone away.
Problem solved, problem solved
Credit line is good.
Oh, what fun it is to shop,
With a plastic card to pay!

What was Christmas shopping like before we had credit cards? Remember layaway? Remember Christmas Savings Clubs at the banks?

When I was fifteen, I sold shoes in Dan Cohen's Shoe Store on Monday evenings and Saturday for 50 cents an hour. When I could, I supplemented that with babysitting for 35 cents an hour. My father had died when I was ten so most of that money went to my mother to help meet living expenses.

I bought Mom a chenille bathrobe for Christmas that year. Now, a chenille bathrobe was something really special. This one was red, which made it extra really special. Red was Mom's favorite color.

I bought it as Habib's Department Store. I don't remember exactly when I bought it but I know I put it in layaway many weeks before Christmas. I paid a little on it each week. I managed to get it out just two days before Christmas. Mr. Habib himself saw to it that they gift-wrapped it for me for free.

The following Christmas was a little easier. I still used layaway but I had also joined a Christmas Savings Club at Mutual Bank. I had deposited 50 cents a week so when December came, I got a $25 Christmas check from the bank. That took the panic out of shopping.

When I was 16, I got a job in the office of Kresge's 5&10 store. I was able to get early dismissal from school (1:30PM) so I worked every afternoon, Monday and Friday evenings, all day Saturday – all that at 65 cents an hour. Wow. I was able to join the $1 Christmas Club and get a $50 check.

Now, these many years later, I can dash through the malls with credit card in hand and no panic. But you know, I don't think I have ever bought another gift that gave me as much joy as that red chenille bathrobe I laid away for Mom.

Merry Christmas to all!

SOCIAL WHIRL

BY FLORETTA LAUBER

Please Send Your Social Announcements and Invitations to Floretta Lauber at:
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Happy Holidays to All

Dear Readers:

This is my 19th year writing The Social Whirl for you. I have seen many wonderful events, social and community oriented, this past year.

Remember; I write for ten local newspapers all across the San Gabriel Valley, so when you see an article not about your city, please remember the nine others!

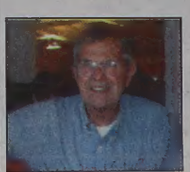
I urge you to send me your special events. I don`t turn anyone down. The Social Whirl is always happy to have your input.

I look forward to another year of sharing the good times in our communities with you.

Warm Wishes to each of you,

Floretta K. Lauber
Social Editor, Beacon Media News

The Santa Anita Depot – Lucky Baldwin's Connection to the East and West



AAUW speaker at the January 12th meeting is Dale Carter.

How did a dilapidated, abandoned 19th century Santa Fe Depot find a home on the grounds of the Los Angeles County Arboretum in Arcadia? How was the old depot saved from demolition and moved from its former site as a pile of bricks and boards that became the lovely, cared-for vintage Depot that we see today? These are questions that Arboretum docent Dale Carter of Arcadia is well qualified to answer. Dale is a retired mechanical engineer who has enjoyed trains from his childhood interest in Lionel trains to his present fascination with vintage steam engines. His love for the peaceful Arboretum and his interest in trains make a perfect fit.

How the transformation of the old depot came about will be explained by Dale Carter when he speaks at the Monday evening, January 12, 2015 meeting of the Arcadia Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) on Monday, January 12. The group meets at the Church of the Good Shepherd`s Jordan Hall, 400 W. Duarte Road (SW corner of Duarte Road and Holly Avenue), Arcadia. Socializing begins at 6:30 p.m. with Carter`s presentation to follow at 7:00 p.m. The public is invited to this free meeting.

For information about membership in the American Association of University Women (AAUW), please call Tamara Kato at (626) 375-6756 or Patricia Dietrich at (626) 446-8437. Membership in the organization is open to all women and men holding a university or college degree, as well as to those with an Associate of Arts degree or its equivalent.

Santa Fe Depot on the grounds of the L. A. Arboretum, the subject of AAUW's January 12 program. *- Courtesy Photo*

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This 1954, one story, ranch style home is on the market for the first time in 34 years. This cozy house has 2579 sq. ft. with two fire places, living and dining rooms, and a stove pipe fireplace in the family room. The sparkling pool and spa sit in a very large back yard. For entertaining or needing a quiet retreat this house is worth seeing.
(843MON) $745,000

Period character ranch detailed with county shutters, brick accents & concrete tiled roof. Formal entry, spacious living rm with dining area, rustic brick fireplace. Open family room w/fireplace & sliding doors to the patio & rear yard . Sunny kitchen with-in appliances, oodles of cabinets, cozy breakfast nook. Master BR with adjacent newly remodeled bath w/ granite counters, tile floors, new lighting & plumbing fixtures. Additional two bedrooms, serviced by an updated three-quarter bath.
(3RDAVE) $988,000

This two story family home offers 4 generously sized bedrooms and 4 baths. Two bedrooms up and two down makes it perfect for a multiple family home. The sizable backyard includes a swimming pool with a spa. The area is zoned for multiple units.
(BOY) $750,000

Situated at the top of Auburn Avenue this home has: 2,175 sq. ft. home, 9,836 sq. ft. lot, 3 bedrms., 2.5 baths. The living room is spacious with a fireplace and opens to a spacious balcony with views. Updated kitchen, granite counters, stainless steel appliances, recessed lighting, Thermador stove, a cozy breakfast nook with access to the manicure yard. The Master suite has 15 foot vaulted ceiling, fireplace, skylight, mountain view, & huge walk-in closet. There is a spacious master bath with double sinks, spa tub and separate shower.
(707AUB) $1,125,000

Originally built in 1934, this prominent Sierra Madre Spanish Revival residence blends modern living with classic untouched Spanish Architecture. Located in the coveted Orange Grove Section of Sierra Madre, this house is sited perfectly on a large 16,557 square foot lot. The expansive front yard prominently displays this architectural beauty for passerby's to enjoy. For the first time in nearly 50 years, all are invited in to tour this significant piece of Sierra Madre History. There is a long gated driveway which leads to the 2 car garage
(475ORA) $1,558,000

Nestled in the peaceful Sierra Madre canyon, just north of Mary's Market Café, this charming home offers 937 Sq. Ft. with a 245 Sq. Ft. Studio, 2 bedrooms, 1¾ baths and an 84 Sq. Ft. storage unit. There is a large eat-in country kitchen, living room, updated bathroom in the main house with an antique claw-foot tub. The studio offers a quiet place to be creative. Highlighting the storage area is an observation rooftop patio. The quiet backyard offers meandering paths.
(687WOO) $548,000

Great Single level townhome with attached garage with direct entry to home. Three bedrooms updated, 1 & 3/4 baths. Kitchen with newer dishwasher, garbage disposal, adjacent dining area with outside patio. Fireplace, Atrium, Central Air (newer unit), 2nd rear patio, tiled flooring and freshly painted thru-out. Lovely complex with community pool, spa tennis court and children's play area.
Monrovia (ROY) $439,000

This lovely condominium is centrally located near the vibrant South Lake shopping district, Ca lTech, Pasadena Community College and Old Town Pasadena. This unit is located on the second floor and is easily accessible by either the elevator or stairs. There is a tranquil view of the pool area from the living room and private balcony.
Pasadena (985CAL) $484,500

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Save This Date—Feb. 8, 2015

Dr. Edward Wong will be the first speaker in the new spring lecture hall at the Gilb Museum Education Center. February 8th at 3:00 p.m., he will be speaking on the Curiosity Rover to Mars and Space Exploration Missions.

Tickets will be limited. More information is to follow. Tickets: $10.00–Students: $5.00.

This program will be sponsored by the Museum Foundation.

"Hats Off To Women!" on March 7, 2015

Arcadia Woman`s Club`s Annual Spring Fashion Show Gala is coming March 7th. Cost: $45. More information to follow.

At the fabulous Arcadia Assistance League Home Tour and Christmas Dinner Party. L-R Santa, ALA President Kay Kinsler, Hostess Karyn Jackson and event chair Jill Kendrick. *- Courtesy Photo*

Gene Glasco to Give Local History Lunchtime Talk

"Surf`s Up! A Ride to the Beach Before the Freeway" will be the featured topic on Thursday, January 15th, 2015 at noon at the Museum Education Center. The speaker will be Gene Glasco, Arcadia City Clerk and President of the Arcadia Historical Society. For more information about the Lunchtime Talk, please call 626/574-5440 or visit the website at http://museum.ci.arcadia.ca.us.

Newcomers, Friends of San Gabriel Valley Invite Local Residents to January Events

Newcomers and Friends of SGV`s monthly "meet and greet" coffee will be held on Jan. 7 in Arcadia. Newcomers and Friends of San Gabriel Valley will have a luncheon on Feb. 11 and will be celebrating their 50th Anniversary on March 11, 2015.

To learn more about the Newcomers and Friends of San Gabriel Valley Club contact them at sgvnewcomers@yahoo.com, visit them online at www.sgvnewcomers.com or call (626) 348-8415.

Co-presidents of the Arcadia Chinese Association (L-to-R) Shelley Liu and Francine Chiu. Flank: Arcadia Mayor John Wuo at fund-raising gala recently.

Co-presidents of ACA Shelly Liu and Francine Chiu with Congresswoman Judy Chu, who was guest of honor at the ACA Dinner Gala at the Doubletree Hotel in Monrovia.

Tricks and Treats and Mozart

A special Classical Kaleidoscope Concert just for children and their families will be held on Saturday, Jan. 10, 2015 at 3:00 p.m. at the Arcadia Public Library. There will be great titles and great music performed by violinist Paul Stein and pianist Ralph Albertstrom: Pop Corn, Funny Face, Black Cat and Tick Tack. These delightful pieces and more by Mozart will open the world of music to children of all ages.

The Arcadia Public Library is located at 20 W. Duarte Rd., Arcadia.

Musical Lecture – Bing Crosby

Arcadia Senior Services is offering a musical lecture that will focus on the life of Bing Crosby on Tuesday, Jan. 6, 2015 at 1:30 p.m. The lecture will take place at the Arcadia Community Center, 365 Campus Dr. This Timeless Melodies Foundation for Education musical program will trace Bing`s roots and early musical inspirations and how radio impacted the development of popular music. This program is for individuals 50 years of age and older. Cost of the presentation is $3 and is non-refundable. Tickets are available until Monday, Jan. 2, 2015. For additional information please call Arcadia Senior Services (626) 574-5130.

Winter Kid's Camp

The Recreation and Community Services Department is offering a Winter Kid`s Camp at Baldwin Stocker Elementary School, 422 W. Lemon Ave. in Arcadia. This retreat is open to elementary school children ages 6-11 and provides a safe, supervised, kid-friendly retreat during winter vacation. The dates are Monday, Dec. 22, Tuesday, Dec. 23, Friday, Dec. 26, Monday, Dec. 29, Tuesday, Dec. 30 and Friday, Jan. 2, 2015, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. for a cost of $20 per day. To register go to the city`s website at www.ci.arcadia.ca.us under the Recreation and Community Services Department or come by our office, 375 Campus Dr. Cancellations must be made by Monday, Dec. 22 in order to receive a refund (which is subject to a $10 service charge).

For more questions, please contact the Recreation Dept. at (626) 574-5113.

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Elks Ladies Auxiliary

L-R Fran Thiry, Carol Kennedy, Terry Kent and President Helen Burkhardt (standing). The members of the auxiliary to Arcadia Elks Lodge celebrated their 20th year of presenting Christmas Tree Lane to be held at the Elks Lodge Dec. 6th.
- Photo by Floretta Lauber

Alice Price, a member of the Lady Elks Auxiliary, holds Christmas decorations she made for the entire membership. This darling lady is a gourmet baker among her many talents and is always doing special deeds for others.
- Photo by Floretta Lauber

Gift of Life

Sharon Godfrey, Alice Godfrey and Peter Godfrey, Arcadia Residents at the Gift of Life event.
-Courtesy Photo

Jane Chavez, Director of the Pregnancy Help Center, and Guy DeMarco, President, both Temple City Residents, at the 3rd annual Gift of Life Gala Fundraiser held at the San Gabriel Country Club.
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the humane issue, any nutritionist will tell you that meat is carcinogenic.

S. Johnson, San Gabriel
11/21/2014

The Reason For The Season.

NASA launched a rocket into space over ten years ago and at a cost of $1.613 and it traveled more than 311 million miles before the rocket landed on a comet. Unfortunately, it landed in a valley and a hillside prevented the SUN from charging it's solar panels so that it would work. The reason given for the space probe was to try to find answers to the questions regarding the origin of the earth and the origin of man.

If they really wanted answers to those questions, they could have asked President Bush and he could have referred them to the first chapter of the Bible which starts out by saying "In the beginning God created...." Do you think that where the robot landed was a mere accident or do you think God had something to do with it?

The Sierra Madre City Council seems to have trouble giving some form of prayer at the opening of each meeting. Maybe they could ask a staff member to pray, and if that doesn't work, maybe they could invite a clergy to say the prayer as the U. S. Congress does.

The real reason for the season is because the one God sent his only son to be born as a human baby so that he could not only reveal to all the complete history of the earth from beginning to end, but also to provide a place for all human beings to spend eternity with Him in Heaven.

Christmas day is celebrated as the birthday of Jesus Christ. It is not just a day for the giving of presents or tinsel on the tree or bright colored lights everywhere. Santa Claus and Saint Nick and any other celebrating are all fine, but those are only ancillary to the main reason.

If one accepts the free gift of redemption by professing their belief that Christ is their Lord, then they may spend eternity in Heaven instead of the Lake of Fire.

You may acquire this gift by simply listening to the Billy Graham programs on television and join with the many thousands of all races and beliefs.

Then, and only then, will one know the real reason for the season.

Merry Christmas!

Sierra Madre Watchman

Gang Member Found Guilty of Killing Barbershop Owner

A 26-year-old gang member was found guilty Friday of killing a well-known Pasadena barbershop owner, the Los Angeles County District Attorney`s Office announced.

Deputy District Attorney Donna Hollingsworth, of the Hardcore Gang Division, said Davon Westley Moore of Los Angeles was found guilty of first-degree murder with the special circumstances of murder during a burglary and robbery in case GA084339.

Moore will face a sentence of life in prison without the possibility of parole at a hearing scheduled on December 9 in Department C of the Los Angeles County Superior Court, Pasadena Branch.

Moore stabbed King King, 43, to death during a robbery on Sept. 21, 2011, the prosecutor said. King was found dead in a parking lot behind his barbershop in the 900 block of East Washington Avenue.

Co-defendant Sabrina Octavia King pleaded no contest to one count each of voluntary manslaughter and first-degree robbery on Mar. 27. She is not related to the victim.

The case was investigated by the Pasadena Police Department.

New Chief for Pasadena Fire Department

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said. "Our selection process allowed us to look at many outstanding candidates from across the country and Chief Washington clearly stood out as the best match to lead the Pasadena Fire Department."

Chief Washington said returning to Southern California and working for Pasadena "is a dream come true for my family and me.

"I am honored to become part of the City of Pasadena family, one of the most esteemed cities in the nation. I look forward to serving all of the residents, businesses and visitors with the highly regarded men and women of the Pasadena Fire Department and working with the community wherever we can to enhance our City in a variety of ways," Chief Washington said.

Chief Washington has a master`s degree in public administration from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas; a bachelor`s degree in political science with a minor in English from Howard University; and an associate`s degree in fire science management from the College of Southern Nevada. He is married to Cheri Washington and has a son, Chandler, 13, and a daughter, Blaire, 11.

The Fire Chief`s top salary is about $228,000 per year, according to information posted on the City`s website. Contract terms will be finalized prior to the onset of his formal duties.

Chief Washington replaces Fire Chief Calvin E. Wells, who joined the Pasadena Fire Department in 1979 and has served in numerous positions during his distinguished, 35-year fire service career. Chief Wells retires at the end of 2014.

10 Questions to Ask Before You Hire a Real Estate Agent

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The Arcadia Transit Plaza dedication ceremony

(Left to right) Attending the Arcadia Transit plaza dedication are council members L-R Gary Kovacic, Roger Chandler, Mayor John Wuo, City Clerk Gene Glasco and Councilman Tom Beck. -*Photo by Floretta Lauber*

Matt McSweeny addresses guests at Plaza dedication. McSweeeny has been very active as President of Downtown Merchants Association for improvements in the area.

Councilmember and former Mayor Gary Kovacic, former Mayor Mary Young, Council members and former Mayor Roger Chandler, former Mayor Floretta Lauber, Mayor John Wuo, former Mayors Gail Marshall and Mickey Segal. Second row former Mayors Peter Amundson and Bob Harbicht and four transit authorities VIPS.

The dedication ceremony took place on Thursday, November 6th, 2014 at 4:00 pm. The site is located at 99 Santa Clara Street (at First Avenue), Arcadia. Council members, former mayors, transit authorities, VIPs and other dignitaries from the area attended the invitational reception, celebrating the opening of the Arcadia Transit Plaza.

The construction of the Gold Line Foothill Extension will achieve an important milestone next month when the Arcadia Transit Plaza opens to the public. The Arcadia Transit Plaza is made possible by a partnership between the Gold Line Foothill Extension Construction Authority and the City of Arcadia, with funding from the Federal Department of Transportation, Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority and the City of Arcadia. This multi-agency funded transit plaza will be an important part of downtown Arcadia; it will serve as a transportation hub and a vibrant gathering space for the community.

Pins and Needles! Creations from The Wandering Foot Quilt Guild of Arcadia

Come and enjoy this heart-warming quilt exhibit during the cool autumn holiday season! These quilts are the creations of local women done with great passion, skill and patience. The group meets every month at the Arcadia Presbyterian Church. Their purpose is to promote cooperation and exchange ideas amongst quilters and encourage high standards of design and technique in quilt making. This is an exhibit you won`t forget! The exhibit will run from November 15th, 2014 until January 3rd, 20154 at the Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage. An opening reception and quilting demonstrations will take place on Saturday, November 15th, 2014 from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at the Museum Education Center.

All programs are free to the public. The Museum Education Center is located at 382 W. Huntington Drive, Arcadia. The Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage is located at 380 W. Huntington Drive, Arcadia, immediately behind the Community Center. The Museum hours are as follows: Tuesday through Saturday 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. (Closed on Sundays and Mondays and 12-1 daily). For more information, please call 626/574-5440 or visit the Museum`s website at http://museum.ci.arcadia.ca.us.

Arcadia Chamber Love Lunch at Matt Dennys huge success

More than 45 attendees, including many new faces and companies, came out to the most recent Arcadia Chamber of Commerce Love Lunch at Matt Denny`s Ale House Restaurant on October 22nd. This fun gathering included networking, fabulous food & beverages and great conversations. If you are the kind of person who likes to explore where the locals go, look no further than Arcadia`s treasure Matt Denny`s.

Due to the holidays the upcoming November Love Lunch will take place at T-Neer in Sierra Madre Nov. 12th from 11:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m. T-Neer is a beautiful relaxing tea room that offers the finest quality teas, sandwiches, fresh green salads, desserts and heavenly cakes. T-Neer has available seating indoors and outdoors and is located at 142 Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre.

These "Love Lunches" were created by the Arcadia Chamber for members and prospective members who love lunch and love getting out of their homes or away from their office for a chance to relax and meet some new people and network. Attendees are invited to come anytime between 11:30 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month at a different restaurant each time. Order what you want and pay individually. RSVP to the Arcadia Chamber at 626/447-2159 or email infor@arcadiachamber.org.

Arcadia Woman's Club hosts benefit for CHOICESS November 22

Come and enjoy a pre-holiday Crafts and Boutique fair, 10:00 am to 4:00 pm next Saturday.

Hoppers Alert! Come find that special gift, or a new purse. Children will have a play area on the front lawn with games, face painting, raffles, prizes, etc. Three food trucks will be parked curbside.

Inside, the clubhouse will have exhibitors and booths of all kinds. Come and help the Woman`s Club raise funds to purchase their much-needed new roof. Also, to raise funds to support CHOICESS, a non-profit organization which has been assisting adults with developmental disabilities live successfully on their own since 1991.

This is a WIN WIN for all–two great charities, both (501) (c) (3) and for the customer/guests a FUN DAY. November 22nd at 324 S First Avenue, Arcadia (across from the 1st Avenue School/corner of Diamond).

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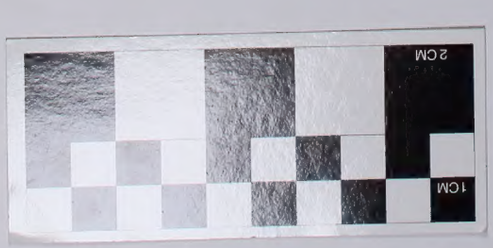

LATE NEWS

La Salle falls to Cathedral

La Salle finished their season last Friday night by falling to Cathedral 71-28. The Lancers have had a tough year in their new division, facing difficult match-ups with well-respected programs. The Lancer's final loss brought their season total to 0-5 in league and 3-7 overall. The Lancers have some work ahead of them, as La Salle looks for a brighter season next year in 2015. -*Photo by John Blackburn*

Board orders audit of alleged duplicate voter registration and irregularities

A motion by Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich, unanimously approved by the Board of Supervisors, directed the Auditor-Controller to review the alleged duplicate voter registrations and other irregularities in the voter rolls and report back to the Board in 30 days on the findings.

The request is a direct result of a recent report by KNBC News that identified at least 442, and possibly thousands more, alleged irregularities in the voter role.

"Even with the understanding that the process of updating or correcting voter records is complex, it is still incumbent upon the County to ensure the accuracy of voter registration, while preserving the right of every eligible voter to exercise his or her right to vote," said Supervisor Antonovich.

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Meet me in St. Louis opens in Monrovia next Thursday

BY SUSAN MOTANDER

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This season's Holiday Musical at the Taylor Performing Arts Center, "Meet Me in St Louis," opens next Thursday for five performances only. With songs like Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas, The Boy Next Door and the Trolley Song (Clang, clang, clang went the Trolley), the production is a great way to begin the holiday season.

With professional cast and orchestra, headed by Director, Andrew Fernando, Choreographer, Paul David Bryant, and Music Director/Conductor, Brigham Freeth, the production promises to be memorable for those in attendance. Equally important is what happens behind the scenes. While headed by a professional stage manager, Martyn Tyler, and Lighting Designer, Jean Yves Tessier; the rest of the crew is made up mainly of local students who are learning stagecraft, a marketable skill. While the audience is enjoying a fun performance, the young people will be busy in their hands-on "classroom."

The lead role of Esther Smith will be performed by Monrovia resident Marjory Zuk with several familiar faces from previous productions at the Taylor PAC including Elizabeth Hunter, Cody Clark, and Jeffrey Loewen. Other principal roles will be portrayed by Tamara Ashton, Dani Bustamante, Maddie Camp, Donna Nigro, Eduardo Recinos, and Lauren Miacioscia. Perhaps the most anticipated performance will come from Samantha Rily, a Monrovia Student from Bradoaks Elementary School who will be playing the part of Tottie. Her role may be even more challenging in that Margaret O`Brien, who played Tottie in the movie version will be in the house on opening night.

Performances will be at 8 pm on November 20th, 21st, and 22nd, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. There will also be two matinees, one at 2 pm on Saturday the 22nd and another at 4 pm on Sunday, November 23. General Admision Tickets are $25 with limited VIP seating at each performance for $35. Reduced rates are available for students, children, seniors and groups. Advanced tickets may be purchased at Monrovia Travel located at 401 South Myrtle Avenue or through Brown Paper Tickets at www.brownpapertickets.com or by calling 800-838-3006. Advanced tickets may also be purchased from anyone on the Taylor Center`s Publicity and Marketing Committee including Kim Petulla, Joanne Spring, Maria Gray, Lani Pedrini, Helen Hernandez, Ella Robertson, Landie Lopez, Kathy Rosenberg, Dinorah Keith, Grace Carpenter, Laurie DeHart, Judy Chen-Ko, or Penny Zuk. Rush tickets in the first row are $10.00 and will be sold on a first come first served basis before each performance. The Taylor Performing Arts Center is located at 845 West Colorado Boulevard in Monrovia, California 91016. Tickets may also be purchased at the Taylor Performing Arts Center beginning one hour before show time.

Kick off your Holiday Season at the Taylor Performing Arts Center in Monrovia with Meet Me in St. Louis.

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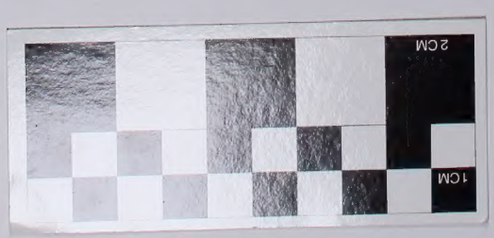
On the Saturday before Thanksgiving, November 22nd, we will pick cans up from YOUR Home (in Duarte)! We are gathering cans for the needy. Please, leave us at least four cans outside your home and we will leave you MISTLETOE! Call NOW to schedule pick-up! Ruth at 626-862-7184 or Pattie Ann at 626-633-6264. Thank you, and may all your corresponding kisses be full of cheer!



LOCAL NEWS

The Social Whirl

25th Black Tie Gala wows guests

The Hospital`s Crystal Ball raises $700,000 and kicks off the fall social scene in the San Gabriel Valley.

Methodist Hospital`s 25th Annual Crystal Ball, held October 11th at the Pasadena Convention Center, successfully raised $700,000 in support of a new Acute Rehabilitation Unit, set for completion by 2016.

Event co-chairs Ron Okum and Mickey Segal could not be more pleased with the evening`s results.

The annual gala honored Christine Antonovich and her husband, Los Angeles County Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich, for their many years of service and dedication to the hospital and the Crystal Ball. Christine, a three-time Crystal Ball co-chair, and Michael, a longtime Los Angeles County Supervisor, have enthusiastically supported Crystal Ball and its efforts to rally community support for hospital services and programs.

The 885 guests arrived to a red-carpet greeting, complete with photographer, and were later treated to a gourmet dinner, followed by a delightfully nostalgic and entertaining performance by Paul Anka. During the hosted reception before dinner, guests participated in electronic bidding on wonderful silent auction items.

A special video celebrating the history of Crystal Ball featured the first co-chair and founder of the event, Celia Kalm. After dinner, another video telling the story of rehab patient Henry Cheng led the evening`s live fundraising activities, which raised $189,000. Cheng was a special guest in the audience.

The live auction offered exciting items such as a Disney Dream Party, a Dodgers suite for 20, a catered dinner with the Antonoviches and Cole and Cindy Harris, and the opportunity to have Paul Anka write and record lyrics for a personal song to the tune of "My Way."

(From Left to Right) Honorees and power couple Supervisor Michael Antonovich and his beautiful wife Christine. L-R Allison Segal Longenecker, former Arcadia First Lady Lee Segal, and Lisa Pemberton, girlfriend of guest star Paul Anka. Arcadia Councilman Tom Beck and wife Jeri, with longtime community leaders June and John Fee. 25th Anniversary Crystal Ball Committee: Anthony Tai, Gloria Rico, Angela Y. Fu, Kathleen Ellison, Ulanda Lee, Dr. Richard Sun, Dr. Lisa Sugimoto, Co-Chair Ron Okum. Honorees Supervisor Michael and Christine Antonovich, Sue Hale, Co-Chair Mickey Segal, Dick Hale, Cindy Harris, Susan Woo, Kathy Hao, Luyi Khasi, Shawn Chou and Dr. K. Heiner Vogelbach. Not pictured---Vivian Chan, Evelyn Greathouse, TK Hau, C.H. Hsueh, Aner Iglesias, Dr. James Y. Lin, Dr. John Quigley, Virginia Shipp, Dorenda Wong and Joan Zhang. Crystal Ball founders: Celia and Arne Kaln. Carolyn Ausman with husband Dan Ausman, Hospital President/CEO, Hospital Board Chair Kathleen Ellison and Richard Kendrick. *-Courtesy Photos*

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Huntington Drive, Arcadia, CA on Thursday, Oct. 30th, 2014 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. The state-of-art medical center will feature numerous amenities and conveniences for physicians and staff alike. The official ribbon-cutting ceremony will be followed by an open house and will include complimentary hors d`oeuvres and refreshtal. The medical center is another project developed and built by the Hale Corporation, a local developer that has been building in Arcadia for more than 35 years.

For more information on the Hale Medical Center contact Richard T. Hale III at RichardHalea@TheHaleCorp.com or 626/622-4253.

Sierra Madre Woman's Club invites community to prayer breakfast

With the approach of Thanksgiving the Sierra Madre Woman`s Club hosts their 40th Annual All-Faith Prayer Breakfast and invites the community to attend.

This will be held Wednesday, November 19th from 8:00 to 9:00 a.m. in Essick House, their historic clubhouse, 550 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.

There is no charge and all are welcome. Members prepare and serve a sit-down breakfast. Spiritual nourishment is provided by members of the clergy, who have accepted the invitation to attend, each presenting a brief seasonal message.

The event begins very promptly and those attending should arrive by 7:45 a.m. Reservations are needed. Please call: 626-355-8977 or Phyllis Chapman: 626-355-3928.

LOCAL NEWS

LASD shooting death investigation in El Monte

Temple Sheriff's Homicide Detectives continued their investigation into the circumstances surrounding the shooting death of a man, in the 9300 block of Garvey Avenue, South El Monte last week.

Detectives learned both the victim-vehicle and the suspect-vehicle were driving eastbound on Garvey Avenue, in Rosemead. While near Muscatel Avenue and Garvey Avenue, the suspect opened fire upon the victim-vehicle, hitting the male driver. The victim subsequently collided into three other vehicles, as he continued eastbound on Garvey Avenue. The victim-vehicle finally came to rest along the 9300 block of Garvey Avenue, in South El Monte.

The suspect-vehicle, described as a dark-colored mid-size vehicle, made a U-turn and fled westbound Garvey Avenue and out of view.

The victim was transported to a local hospital where he was later pronounced dead. The female passenger inside the victim-vehicle was uninjured.

Anyone with information about this incident is encouraged to contact the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department's Homicide Bureau at (323) 890-5500.

If you prefer to provide information anonymously, you may call "Crime Stoppers" by dialing (800) 222-TIPS (8477), or texting the letters TIPLA plus your tip to CRIMES (274637), or by using the website http://lacrimestoppers.org.

Azusa Women's Club Annual Book Drive

Azusa Women`s Club will hold its Annual Book Drive for the Azusa City Library on November 5, 2014. The event will be from 11:00AM to 1:00PM at the Azusa Women`s Clubhouse at 1003 N. Azusa Blvd in Azusa. All residents of Azusa are asked to donate books for the Library. The books will either be sold for funds for children`s programs or to replace old books in the Library. Several members have volunteered to pick up books and deliver them to the Library. Also on November 5, the City Librarian will be speaking about the function of the library to the community. Anyone interested in this worthwhile project please call Pat Klemz at 626-967-8829.

Established in 1901, Azusa Women`s Club is a non-profit organization which supports many worthwhile causes including scholarships for Azusa graduating students, children's books for the Azusa Library, gifts for hospitalized veterans, items for the Azusa Food Bank, and financial support for many recognized organizations in the community. Azusa Women's Club welcomes all interested women to serve the community of Azusa. The Azusa Women's Club meets on the first Wednesday each month.

Pasadena Crop Walk slated Nov. 2

The Pasadena Crop Walk will be hosted at the Campus of Flintridge Preparatory School at 4543 Crown Ave. in La Canada on Sunday, November 2. Registration will begin at 1:00 p.m. and walkers take a designated path through the heart of the La Canada community on Foothill Blvd. There will be many individual, family, Church and school teams from the local communities. Some of the teams will include Flintridge Preparatory School, Mayfield Senior School and Westridge School.

75 percent of the funds raised will go towards Church World Services/CWS work around the world in helping fight hunger and securing safe water sources and 25 percent of the funds will go towards local Organizations fighting hunger, ACTS Food Pantry, Bad Weather Shelter (FID), Foothill Unity Center, Friends In Deed, Holy Family Giving Bank and St. Vincent de Paul at St. Elizabeth.

The event will also be hosting food trucks, raffles and music from Flintridge Preparatory School.

Walkers may register on line at www.crophungerwalks.org/pasadenaca

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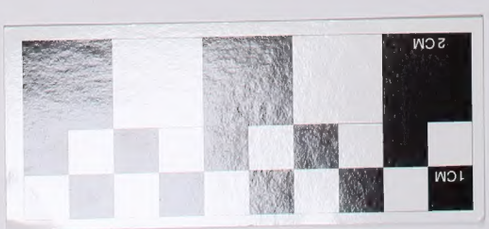

The Social Whirl

BY FLORETTA LAUBER

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Arcadia Community Coordinating Council

Created in 1947, this group continues on year after year, with many of the same faces. It`s called dedication. This group gives voice to the many organizations that make up the council.

Barbara Gera was installed for her second term as president on October 6th with a full Board. Barbara is a retired Elementary School Teacher and Administrator. Her last position was with the El Monte School District. She lives in Temple City with her husband John. The family has a love for horses and is part owners of three thoroughbreds. They are volunteers for The Breeders Cup each year.

2014-2015 Board of Directors for Arcadia Community Coordinating Council, installed 10/06/14 -*Photo by Floretta Lauber*

Other members installed were: Kathleen Johnson, Raina Martinez, Shelia Davies, Pat Herstich, Roberta White, Ann Durgerian, Esther Reynosa, Sylvia Ramos, Tamara Kato, Ruth Dunlop, Jodi Little, Mickey Ball, Peter Ulrich, Christy-Joy Brendell, Kathy Valentine, Mary Hansen and Genevieve Valiquette.

Museum Foundation's Gala BBQ - Another hit!

Dan Ames and his band "THE LATE BLOOMERS" at Museum Foundation BBQ 09/28/14. -*Photos by Dana Hicks*

Joyce and Gene Platt, she is President of the "THE TRAVELERS" and on THE FRIENDS OF THE MUSEUM Board, enjoy BBQ.

Billie Tone and Ginny Blitz, both members of THE FRIENDS OF THE MUSEUM at the gala BBQ party in support of the Museum.

Tables and chairs were set up on the terraces of the new Education Center and the Community Center, looking over the sloping lawn surrounding the Hugo Reid statue.

Wonderful aromas from the onsite BBQ grill, was the start of a fun filled evening of music by Dan Ames and his band "THE LATE BLOOMERS", a great dinner of Tri Tip and Chicken with all JAKE`S fixings.

City Council member attending were Mayor John Wu, Mayor Pro-Tem Gary Kovacic and wife Barbara, Sho Tay and wife Sherry and Tom Beck. Also Dominic Lazaretto and Christine City Manager, Gene Glasco City Clerk along with Stephen Deitsch City Attorney.

Foundation Directors and their guests were in attendance with members of the Arcadia Woman`s Club, DAR, Friends of the Museum, Arcadia Chinese Association and Museum supporters were on hand to help celebrate the opening of the Museum`s Education center. Curator Dr. Dana Hicks and Director Mary Beth Hayes were also present.

Jan McEachern was Co-Chair with President Floretta Lauber. Jan chose sage green colors for décor, using drought friendly succulents in decorative containers as center pieces for the tables.

A great time was had by all and their financial goal was met!! Thank you to all who made that possible by either attending or assisting the production.

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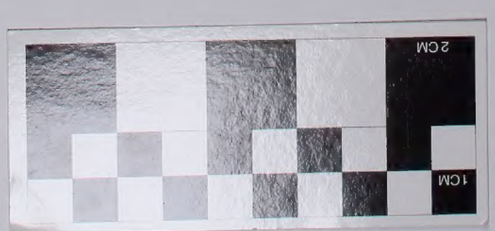
City of Arcadia and Breeder's Cup Halloween Fright Day - Friday, October 31

Join us in the Santa Anita Park Infield, 285 W. Huntington Drive, Arcadia on Breeder`s Cup Friday, October 31st, 2014 for a Halloween Fright Day from 12-5 p.m.! All ages welcome! Best of all, admission to the event is FREE for Arcadia residents (with valid resident ID) and children! Admission for non-resident adults is $5. The City of Arcadia Recreation and Community Services Department and Breeder`s Cup are excited to announce this special Halloween event. Just show up at the Infield Entrance—Gate #6 on Colorado Place, parking is $10. On fright Day enjoy trick or treating with local businesses carnival rides carnival games, pumpkin painting, pony rides, music with themed performances, Haunted Maze, bounce houses and more! Wear your best costume for a chance to win Breeder`s Cup`s Best Dressed! Full-face masks for adults 14 and older are not permitted. For more information please call 626/574-5113 or visit: www.breaderscup.com/Halloween or www.ci.arcadia.ca.us.



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Walk of Champions

Beth Costanza, Sandy Snider and Gail Marshall—the founders of the Walk of Champions, pose at the brick monument on the corner of Huntington Drive and First Avenue, depicting the historic site of the Santa Anita Race Track sponsors plaque. -*Photo by Floretta Lauber*

Gene Glasco, President of the Arcadia Historical Society co-sponsors of the "Walk of Champions" at street party cutting the delicious cake donated by Decroutets Cake Supplies, at 23 E. Huntington Drive. Helping are L-R Mari Clavern & Marilyn Daleo. -*Photo by Floretta Lauber*

The Ben Rushing Band, keep guests entertained at the successful street party Saturday 9/27/14, celebrating the opening of the thoroughbred Racing WALK OF CHAMPIONS. A private dinner party for donors was held at Matt Denny's following the street party. Kudos to the committee -*Photo by Floretta Lauber*

First Ave. Street Party

Vintage cars were proudly displayed at the street party on north First Avenue. -*Photo by Floretta Lauber*

Pasadena Showcase House for the Arts announces 2014-2015 Board of Directors

22 members from nine cities led by Katherine Watkins (president) will make up the new Board of Directors.

An all volunteer organization, PSHA is a non-profit California Corporation whose members donate their time and talents to produce the annual Pasadena Showcase House of Design. It is one of the oldest largest and most successful house and garden tours in the nation. PSHA just celebrated the milestone of its fiftieth Showcase House in 2014. Founded in 1948, they have donated nearly $20 million to provide music programs in the community. Examples include the underwriting of concerts, choral productions, musical theater, opera, jazz quartets, marching bands, and orchestras at local schools, senior centers and through many other non-profit organizations. Additionally, a staple part of their program is music therapy for at-risk children scholarships for young musicians and music education at a variety of levels. This is in addition to their longstanding support of the Los Angeles Philharmonic Association. They also produce three highly regarded annual music programs: Music Mobile, Instrumental Competition and Youth Concert. An essential part of PSHA`s mission is to nurture the study and appreciation of music and to ensure that music is available to a broad range of audiences. For over sixty-five years they have funded and produced programs that have enriched the lives of countless people and brought a lasting legacy to the community.

The 2015 Pasadena Showcase House of Design will be open to the public Sunday, April 19th through Sunday May 17th, 2015. Tickets to the Showcase House go on sale February 4th, 2015. To purchase tickets, or for more information about PSHA, please visit www.pasadenashowcase.org.

Katherine Watkins, President of The Pasadena Showcase House for the Arts. -*Courtesy Photo*

Household Has-beens: Home goods from the Nineteenth Century

Learn a little history about household has-beens at lunchtime on Thursday, October 16th, 2014 at noon. Lunchtime Talks are held monthly on the third Thursday from noon until 1:00 p.m. Come and listen to guest speakers who will present snippets about Arcadia history, people, places and events. Bring your own lunch or just sit and enjoy the talk with friends at the Museum Education Center.

All programs are free to the public. The Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage is located at 380 W. Huntington Drive, Arcadia, immediately behind the Community Center. The hours are Tuesday through Saturday 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. (Closed on Sundays and Mondays and 12-1 daily). For more information, please call 626/574-5440 or visit the Museum`s website at http://museum.ci.arcadia.ca.us.

Barks and Books

Children in kindergarten through fifth grade are invited to practice reading aloud to a specially trained therapy dog who loves to hear a good story. Saturday, October 18th, 2014, November 15, 2014 and December 20, 2014. This program is made possible by the generous time and effort of the Pasadena Humane Society.

For more information, visit the Arcadia Public Library website at http://library.ci.arcadia.ca.us or call 626/821-5566.

The Arcadia Public Library is located at 20 W. Duarte Road, Arcadia. The Library is open Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. and Friday and Saturday, 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. You can also follow the Library on Twitter and Facebook.

"Doctor Who" at Monrovia Public Library

There will be a "Doctor Who" Party for teens in grades 6th to 12th. The program is sponsored by Friends of the Monrovia Public Library.

Monrovia Public Library will host this very unique event on Friday, October 17, 2014 from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the Library Community Room. The Library is located at 321 South Myrtle Avenue, in Old Town Monrovia`s Library Park.

Take a ride with the universes most famous time traveler. Come ready with your knowledge of the Doctor.

No sign up necessary. For additional information on this event, please call (626) 256-8274, or visit www.cityofmonrovia.org/library and click on the calendar icon.

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City of Arcadia Craft Fair Friday, November 14

The City of Arcadia Recreation & Community Services Department, Senior Services Division operates a gift shop at the Arcadia Community Center, 365 Campus Drive and is open to the public, Monday – Thursday 9:30 am-1:30 pm and 9:30 am-12:30 pm on Friday each week. Just in time for the holidays, the Arcadia Community Center Gift Shop is hosting the second Senior Craft Fair on Friday, November 14, 2014 from 9:00 am-3:00 pm at the Community Center.

The Senior Craft Fair is free and will have many items to choose from: scarves, hats, knitted sweaters, flower arrangements, pillows, t-shirts, ornaments, and jewelry among many other beautiful hand-made and handcrafted items. The public is encouraged to visit the fair and shop for one-of-a-kind items crafted by older adults in the community.

For more information, please contact the Recreation and Community Services Department Senior Services at 626/574-5130.

City Of Arcadia Kid's Night Out Friday, October 10

Kid`s Night Out provides kids a night of fun and play so mom and dad can enjoy an evening out or a quiet evening at home. This event is held at the Arcadia Community Center, 365 Campus Drive, Arcadia, California 91007, from 6-11 p.m. Recreation Staff and Volunteers offer dinner, themed games, movies, and supervision for children ages 4 and above. All activities will be geared toward elementary school children; anyone younger must be potty trained. Accommodations cannot be made for special dietary needs. The cost is $15.00 per child and also includes snacks and beverages. Pre-registration is mandatory and a $2 registration fee is applicable for those participants not registered in any other summer classes. Registration for Kid`s Night Out can be done on-line at www.ci.arcadia.ca.us by fax: (626)821-4370 or by coming into the Recreation Office, 375 Campus Drive, Arcadia, Ca. 91007. For more information please call (626)574-5113.

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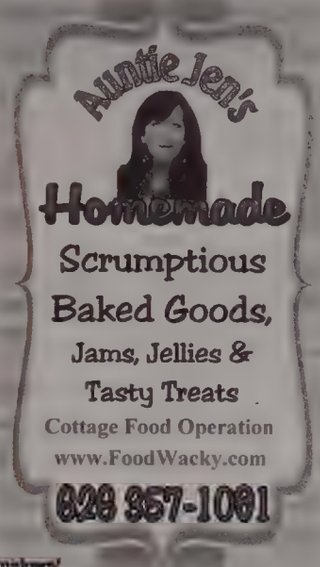

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Memorial to U.S. Marines who died in global effort to eradicate terrorism will be dedicated Oct. 2

The U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Center in Pasadena – 2nd Battalion, 23rd Marine Regiment – will be open to the public Thursday, Oct. 2, at 5 p.m. for the dedication of a memorial to fallen U.S. Marines and Navy corpsmen who made the "ultimate sacrifice in the global effort to eradicate terrorism."

The center, ordinarily closed to the public, is at 2699 Paloma St. at the northwest corner of Paloma Street and Sierra Madre Boulevard just south of Pasadena High School. Parking is available at Victory Park, half a block from the center. Public entry to the center will be through the gate on Paloma Street.

U.S. Marines and reservists at the center will take time from their normal duties to pause and reflect on the sacrifice of others who have worn the same uniform. They also will be on hand to greet community guests, who are encouraged to see the memorial up close, take photos and participate actively in the event that will conclude with the lowering of the U.S. flag during the evening colors ceremony.

Please RSVP to donald.wright@usmc.mil or 626-398-0295, ext. 1500.

Resting near the flagpole and the entrance to the main building, the memorial is, according to Lt. Col. Donald R. Wright, a source of great pride for the Marines at the center.

"The intent of such a memorial is not to glorify war or even commemorate some great victory of the past. It is meant simply to honor those who have died in service to their country," said Wright. "We honor their sacrifice and remind ourselves of the need to be ready to answer our nation`s call. We also remind those who have fallen that we have not forgotten them and that we will not let them down."

-Courtesy Photo

Leading the dedication ceremony will be Wright, Lt. Col. Sean N. Day and Sgt. Maj. David E. Lee.

The 2nd Battalion, 23rd Marine Regiment is an infantry reserve unit that provides trained personnel to augment and reinforce active duty units in times of war, disasters and other situations as national security requires. About 30 active duty and reserve Marines are on staff daily at the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Center in Pasadena. Many live locally and are active in the community year-round.

During monthly training drills there are more than 200 Marines there, with members of the unit staying in local hotels and engaging in commerce throughout Pasadena. 2/23, as it is commonly called by military personnel, also participates in local civic events and military funerals and works in cooperation with the City of Pasadena during local emergencies and natural disasters. 2/23 has been in Pasadena since 2006.

Mayor Bill Bogaard and the Pasadena City Council unanimously voted to formally adopt 2/23 on Nov. 25, 2013, formally recognizing the relationship between the City of Pasadena and the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Center, which is on city-owned land.

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar to be honored at "All for the Love of Kids" event - Oct. 8

Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich will honor NBA great Kareem Abdul-Jabbar at the 19th annual "All for the Love of Kids" awards program and fundraiser on Wednesday, October 8, 2014 at the Los Angeles County Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration in Los Angeles.

Donations raised at this event help provide Los Angeles County foster kids with programs and services not typically available through government resources. This includes:

- College scholarships
- Specialized medical and dental services
- Educational field trips
- Uniforms for sports and enrichment activities
- Music lessons and instruments

"All for the Love of Kids" was initiated in 1995 by Supervisor Antonovich to support the Los Angeles County Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) and the Children`s Trust Fund.

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Wine and cheese event held by the Shakespeare Club

(Photos Left to Right) #1 Left to Right: Barbara Sakuma, Shakespeare Club President; Shirley Bone, Publicity Chair, Lou Ann Heintz, Club Treasurer and House Secretary, Mary Bassel, Prospective New Member; and Janet Beggs; Social Activities Chair. #2 From left to right; Monica Forgey, Philanthropy Chair; Gay Blackstone, Prospective Member; Elizabeth Johns, Prospective Member; and Janet Beggs, Social Chair. #3 Virginia Crosby and Tiffany Crosby-Young, Club Members with Rikki Lugo, Choreographer. #4 Pat Hoffman, Vice President/Benefit Chair with club member Annette Arce. -*Courtesy Photos*

The annual "Wine and Cheese Party" held at the Shakespeare Clubhouse in September is always a favorite event for Shakespeare Club members and a great time for prospective members to come meet the group. Several small parties were held over the summer and provided an informal setting for members to invite guests. The soirees were planned and hosted by Social Activities Chair Janet Beggs and her committee and included potluck dinners at member`s homes and concerts in the parks of local communities. The "Wine and Cheese Party" was set up on the terrace and was followed by a regular Club business meeting in the ballroom with a special program by Tom Nott, Architect, of Nott Associates of South Pasadena. New members are accepted year round to the club but the summer season lends itself to additional opportunities for members to invite their friends and guests to smaller parties and gatherings. The Shakespeare Club has had a long history of various philanthropic endeavors benefitting many charities in Pasadena and San Gabriel Valley. In addition to the many social and philanthropic opportunities the club has to offer, members can participate in Broadway Musicals presented as an annual Club Benefit/Fund-Raiser. During the meeting, Pat Huffman, Club Vice-President/Benefit Chair announced that the Club will be presenting the Broadway Musical "Nunsense" in March 2015 and introduced Rikki Lugo as the director/choreographer for the upcoming show.

The Shakespeare Club invites you to attend the following Up-coming Event:

"6th Annual Unique Boutique" at the Shakespeare Clubhouse, 171 South Grand Avenue, Pasadena, Ca.—Wednesday, November 12th, 6:00 9:00 p.m. Over 20 vendors offering specialty boutique items including but not limited to jewelry, clothing, purses, beauty products, soaps, candles, pottery and more. Complimentary appetizers and a No-Host Bar will be available. Guests and prospective members are welcome. No charge. For more information call Jana Cole, Ways and Means Chair, 626/484-9573 or email: janaco@sbcglobal.net.

For more information about the Shakespeare Club`s events, membership and past productions, please visit their website www.shakespeareclub.org.

An evening for the station a Beatles Bash by Mustique

One of the charities close to our hearts is the Union Station Homeless Services at 825 Orange Grove in Pasadena. Founded in 1973, Union Station has helped rebuild the lives of thousands who were once without hope.

Their exciting 15th annual benefit concert is scheduled for October 29th, 2014 at the Paseo Colorado, 360 East Colorado Boulevard, Pasadena. It is a hors d`oeuvre reception and concert (included in the price of the ticket) General admission is $40.00.

Maestra Rachel Worby, a worthy talent, should light up the night with great sounds Beatle-oriented. This is a unique evening with a modest price and the meal course is 5 stars. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. Sponsorship opportunities are ABBEY ROAD ($10,000) , LET IT BE ($5,000) , SGT PEPPER ($2,500) ,YELLOW SUBMARINE ($1,000) and HEY JUDE ($500.00). Please mail checks and reservations to Union Station at the above address.

Author to speak at retired teacher's meeting on early Los Angeles Mayor

The name Don Benito Wilson is probably less familiar to most San Gabriel Valley residents than his namesakes` geologic site—Mount Wilson.

As a pioneer, Don Benito Wilson (after statehood known as Benjamin Wilson) helped shape pre-American Southern California`s history. Pasadena author Nat Read has written Don Benito Wilson: From Mountain Man to Mayor: Los Angeles 1841-1878 as a witness to Wilson`s numerous remarkable accomplishments.

Wilson owned much of the San Gabriel Valley, was the second mayor of Los Angeles, was a state senator, and also held many other public offices. As a successful mountain man, he built a trail to the peak of what we know today as Mount Wilson.

Author Nat Read himself is a man of many talents. He is a public relations practitioner, author, songwriter, and even a stand-up comic! A native of Dallas, he attended Austin College. Read also served in the U.S. Navy and was a reserve officer for the Los Angeles Police Department. Nat Read`s writings have appeared in the Wall Street Journal, Reader`s Digest, Los Angeles Times Magazine, and many other publications. He is currently at work on a novel.

Nat Read will share the story of Benjamin Wilson`s role in Los Angeles` early history when he speaks at the luncheon meeting of the California Retired Teachers` Association #71 (CalRTA-SGV). The group will meet on Friday, October 10, at 11:30 a.m. in the Senior Center Building in Arcadia Park (county park), 405 W. Santa Anita Avenue, Arcadia, next to the Lawn Bowling Greens.

The cost of the luncheon for members and guests is $12. This amount represents a slight increase from past years. The increase is due to the rise in food costs, caterer`s expenses and other factors.

Season tickets for the year`s five lunches are available at the discounted price of $55 instead of the $60, if purchased separately. Treasurer John Gera has included more information on page four of member`s latest "CalRTA Communiqué" newsletter. For luncheon information, please call John Gera at (626) 286-0714 by the October 3rd deadline.

Nat Read`s book DON BENITO WILSON: From Mountain Man to Mayor is available for purchase at the close of the meeting. Mr. Read has graciously offered to sign his book.

STOP FORECLOSURES

A new California Appellate case just published August 8, 2013, **"Glaski v. Bank of America"**, holds that a homeowner can challenge his lender's right to foreclose by showing that the Deed of Trust never made it into the securitized trust until after the trust's closing date.

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It is highly suggested that homeowners take this window of opportunity to get relief before the banks get Congress to close this door with national legislation. Contact us so we can help you.

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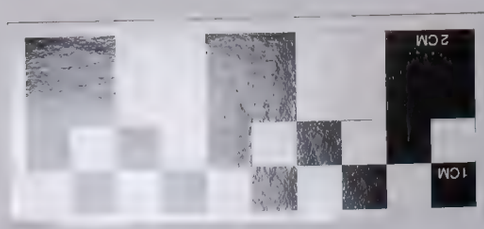

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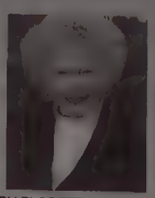

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CalRTA #71 awards scholarships to prospective teachers

Thanks to the legacy of Lorraine Anderson, the California Retired Teachers Association #71 (SGV) was able to award scholarships to two recent college graduates. Lorraine Anderson was a firm believer in education. A native of Wisconsin, she came to California with a major in education, never married, and spent her career on the faculty of El Monte High School until her retirement. Lorraine Anderson always retained her interest in education and in retirement was a longtime member of CalRTA #71.

Lorraine Anderson`s bequest stated that she wanted to support public education in the San Gabriel Valley by having CalRTA #71 award scholarships to qualifying students who were in their final semester of college and who wanted to teach locally. Now two scholarships have been awarded to qualifying students who applied earlier and have recently graduated from college.

One scholarship was awarded to CSU-Los Angeles graduate Curtis Cruz who earned a B.A. in Sociology. Curtis was present at the June luncheon meeting of CalRTA #71 to receive his award. He is currently doing his student teaching. The second scholarship went to Cal Poly Pomona graduate Antonella Spadaro who holds a B.A. in Sociology. She is currently working on her teaching credentials and will be doing student teaching this fall. Antonella also plans to begin work this fall on her Master`s degree in Special Education.

Mary Riley, CalRTA #71 Scholarship Committee Chairperson, made the awards.

Mary Riley awarded the CalRTA #71 Lorraine Anderson Scholarship to Curtis Cruz. *-Courtesy Photo*

Antonella Spadaro was also a CalRTA #71 Scholarship winner. *-Courtesy Photo*

Congratulations to three amazing women

A former Arcadia Mayor (Gail Marshall), a former Chamber of Commerce CEO (Beth Costanza) and a former Arboretum Curator and local historian (Sandy Smith) deserve accolades from all of us.

Through their foresight and tenacity over several years—they have pulled off a great coup, the Walk of Champions.

Finally connecting with help from Santa Anita and the City of Arcadia and under the umbrella of the Arcadia Historical Society, it is now a reality and the celebration will take place Saturday afternoon, September 28th on the corner of Huntington Drive and First Avenue with a street closing party.

This is a fabulous project and addition to the city with plaques embedded in the sidewalk honoring famous horses, jockeys and other famous figures of horseracing history.

Ladies, take a bow!

3rd Annual BBQ under the stars

Arcadia Museum Foundations directors are busy with final plans and reservations, as the Sunday evening, 5:30 p.m. popular event approaches, 9/28/14.

Jake`s mouth-watering on site BBQ is a favorite, returning for the second time by popular demand. "The Late Bloomer Band" will again keep everybody in the mood for a party.

This year the new Education Center will be used for the venue as well as the surrounding terraces. A wine, beer and soft drink bar will be available, also.

Space is filling up fast! Join your fellow Arcadians and community leaders for a night of fun and alfresco dining. It is for a great cause, Educational programming for the Museum and Education Center.

The Museum Foundation is a 501 (c) (3) organization. Call Jan McEachern (626) 355-1082 or Floretta Lauber (626) 355-6945 for reservations.

LATE NEWS

2015 Tournament of Roses Royal Court

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tried out this year but only seven are chosen to become part of the Royal Court as is tradition.

After initial tryouts, 250 women are invited back for a second round of tryouts, 75 women for a third round and only 25 candidates for the final round. The final seven members of the Royal Court will be announced Oct. 6, with the Rose Queen coronation taking place on Oct. 23.

Members of the Tournament of Roses Royal Court attend dozens of events and cap off their experience with a float ride in the Rose Parade and the opportunity to attend the Rose Bowl football game on New Year's Day.

-Photos by Terry Miller

New Monrovia City Manager

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for almost a year since the retirement of Laurie Lile in October of 2013. Chi will officially start work on October 13, but has already been spending a great deal of time in the city.

City Attorney Craig reported the details of the three-year employment contract that includes an annual salary of $195,000 year, with the potential of a 5% bonus annually and a maximum 5% annual maximum. In addition, Chi will receive a $450 monthly auto allowance.

Chi was raised in adjacent Arcadia and attended schools there. He earned his BA in Political Science at UCLA and a Masters in Public Administration at the University of Southern California. He says that since he met his wife of 10 years, Bobbie Jo, at UCLA, he remains loyal to the Bruins. The couple has a 2-year-old son, Ian.

Prior to coming to Monrovia, Chi was the Assistant City Manager in Barstow. Prior to that he was the City Manager in Rosemead, a position from which he resigned in 2009 under political pressure from a newly elected council.

In brief remarks to the council on Tuesday Chi said, "What a privilege to be here. I am honored to be a part of such a special place."

He spoke candidly of his experience in Rosemead saying "It is no secret that I had a fabulous career flop in the City of Rosemead." However, he added that he was "looking forward to rolling up his sleeves and working" to prove that the council had made the right decision in hiring him.

Mayor Mary Ann Lutz praising Chi relating that he brought with him extensive experience in budgeting, human resources, and redevelopment along with the ability to work collaboratively with other cities.

The entire Council welcomed him with brief words of praise. Alexander Blackburn noted the council was a group of "Five people who rarely see eye to eye" but that they had been unanimous in their selection of him. Council Member Becky Shevlin echoed that comment saying "it is a great day when all of us can agree."

Council Member Larry Spicer said he was looking forward to working with Chi while Council Member Tom Adams joked that the members of the City staff who were present were all smiling, teasingly questioning whether it was in response to "you (Chi) coming or Fran (Delach – Interim Manager) leaving."

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Life Remembered

Roz Newson

Roz was best known for teaching art and oil painting to many local children and adults and was a member of the Monrovia Fine Arts Association for many years.

She is survived by her 3 children, 2 sons and 1 daughter, 7 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren who owe a debt of gratitude to her amazing caregiver, Arnie Ramos. Roz was 94.

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Working with home remodeling contractors

Award–winning speaker Penny Spark of SoCal Home Improvement Referral Service will deliver a program that is unique, high-energy and power-packed with information for local homeowners contemplating a home remodel, renovation, or other improvement project. She has been performing professional due diligence on remodelers for nearly 15 years and has guided thousands of homeowners through their remodels, additions, and home improvement projects.

This seminar, on Saturday, September 13, 2014 from 2:30–4:00 p.m. will address 12 best Practices, 7 Signs of Trouble, Which Pitfalls Are You Most Likely to Fall Into?, Savvy Contractor Screening, Contractor Interviewing Strategies, Key Contractor Hiring Criteria, when is it Safe to Hire an Unlicensed Contractor, Astute Interpretations and Comparing of Contracts, 8 Must Have Elements in a Home Improvement Contract, What are Mechanic Liens, Performance Bonds and Release Waivers, and Do you Need Them?

Learn from the expert how to navigate the process....from preliminary planning stages through the inevitable changes along the way, to inspections, warranties, final payments and unconditional releases.

This program is hosted by the Arcadia Public Library at 20 W. Duarte Road, Arcadia.

Also, this program is offered at no charge and will be held in the Cay Mortenson Auditorium at the Library. Space is limited. RSVP is suggested. Call (626) 355-3200 or email customercare@schirs.com.

Summer magic ends

(Top) Cal-Phil August 23rd. Concert at Santa Anita Park. Pictured here are Arcadia Mayor John Wuo (Center) and his wife Jane with VIP dinner hostess Floretta Lauber. The mayor presented a Proclamation to Maestro Vener for bringing the California Philharmonic to Arcadia for the past 18 years. (Left) Kathleen Ellison (Chairman of the Board of Directors at Methodist Hospital) and her friend Tom Hayes were guests at VIP dinner celebrating 18 years of World Class music by Victor Vener and the California Philharmonic, co-hosted by Floretta Lauber and Robert Miller. (Right) Julia Fendrick of Arcadia (foreground) with Robert Miller and his lady Carol Gay, at VIP dinner. Miller is the founding president of the California Philharmonic Foundation. *-Courtesy Photos*

Always a bittersweet night, the last concert of the season of the California Philharmonic, led by the renowned Maestro Victor Vener, has occurred.

The summer concerts at the Santa Anita Race Track are pure joy. After the sun slips behind the stage dome, the breeze gently moves the palm trees. As the Sierra Madre Mountains become clear and it feels like you can touch them, then the glorious sounds of a Philharmonic Orchestra penetrate through the night.

I have been attending the California Philharmonic for all 18 years and for me, it is a privileged gift to be able to drive to a venue of world class music only 10 minutes from home.

The last concert of the season on 8/23/14 was exceptional. Adam del Monte, a leading flamenco and classical guitarist, captured the audience with music by Lloyd Webber`s from Evita. The evening was complemented by two very talented vocalists Randal Keith and Joan Almedilla, with music from Man of La Mancha.

If you have never attended, be sure to treat yourself to this wonderful summer series. For those that have had season tickets, I am told that prices will raised next season, therefore you should renew your season tickets as soon as possible. Call (626)304-0333 or check Calphil.com.

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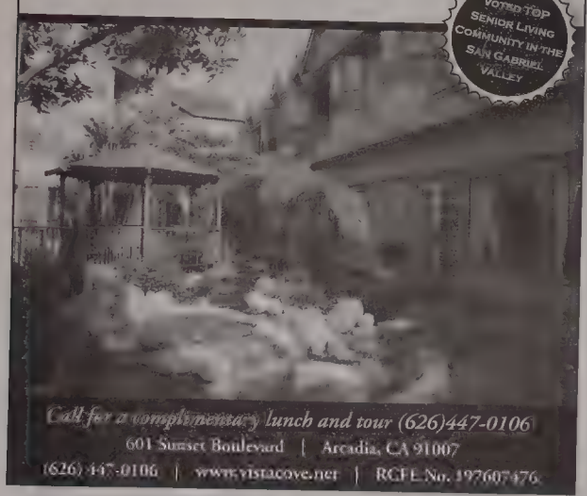

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City of Arcadia
Annual Fall Cultural Event "Thailand"

The City of Arcadia Recreation & Community Services Department—Senior Services Division proudly presents its annual cultural event "Thailand" on Friday, September 19th, from 4-7 p.m., at the Arcadia Community Center, located at 365 Campus Drive, Arcadia, Ca. 91007. Pre-purchase tickets are on sale now $15 each, until September 8th, the ticket includes great food catered by SALA THAI, Thai Vegetarian Food Restaurant, a Tour on Thailand (Video Show) and entertainment provided by the Thai Performing Arts of Los Angeles, Senior Services. For more information call (626) 574-5130.

LOCAL NEWS

The Social Whirl

They're back!
Arcadia AAUW to hear from Tech Trek Campers

They`re back and full of enthusiasm! This summer, the Arcadia Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) selected eleven local middle-school girls to send to Tech Trek Science/Math Campo on the Whittier College Campus for one week. Now the budding young scientists and tech specialists will bring highlights of their camp experiences to the Monday evening September 8th meeting of the Arcadia Branch. As with past Tech trek campers, these girls are sure to give enthusiastic reports on their exciting week of dorm life classes, hands-on experiments and field trips.

The Arcadia Branch AAUW meeting will take place in the Church of the Good Shepherd`s Jordan Hall, 400 West Duarte Road, Arcadia (SW corner of Duarte Road and Holly Avenue). The meeting is open to the public at no charge, and ample parking is available in the church parking lot. Members and guests are invited to come early for socializing and refreshments at 6:30 p.m. and to meet the Tech Trek girls and their families. The program will follow at 7:00 p.m.

Ongoing interest groups this year are the bridge and book review groups. Future Arcadia Branch meetings will include dynamic speakers on current topics such as water conservation. A luncheon with a book talk is on the schedule as well. The next meeting of the Arcadia Branch of AAUW will be held on November 10th at the Church of the Good Shepherd. The Branch is meeting on alternating months this year.

Membership in the American Association of University Women is open to women and men holding a university or college degree, as well as to those with an Associate of Arts degree or its equivalent. For more information, please call Tamara Kato at (626) 375-6756 or Patricia Dietrich at (626) 4460-8437.

Health screenings, lectures and information

A special day is planned targeted towards healthy aging. Arcadia Senior Services in partnership with Methodist Hospital is having, "Picture of Health," Friday, September 12, 2014 at the Arcadia Community Center, 365 Campus Drive, Arcadia. The event will begin at 9:00 a.m. with a lecture on "Know Your Medications," where you can learn about vitamins, herbal supplements, drug interactions, self-medications, sharing prescriptions, and generic vs name brand drugs. Starting at 10:00 a.m. there will be a variety of informational tables and health screenings. There will be free blood pressure, body mass index, blood oxygen level, and bone density, and hearing testing. Carotid artery screening will be available for $7.00 payable in advance; appointments are available now. A limited number of lunches can be purchased for $5.00 on the day of the event. The staff from Pacific Clinic`s, Pasadena will present, Nurturing Older Adult Wellness, (NOW) at 1:00 p.m. You will learn the tools you need for optimal mental and emotional wellbeing. If interested in attending this educational, health-related event please call Arcadia Senior Services at (626) 574-5130 before September 9th. This event is for individuals age 50 years of age and older.

The newcomers and friends of San Gabriel Valley Club invites new local residents

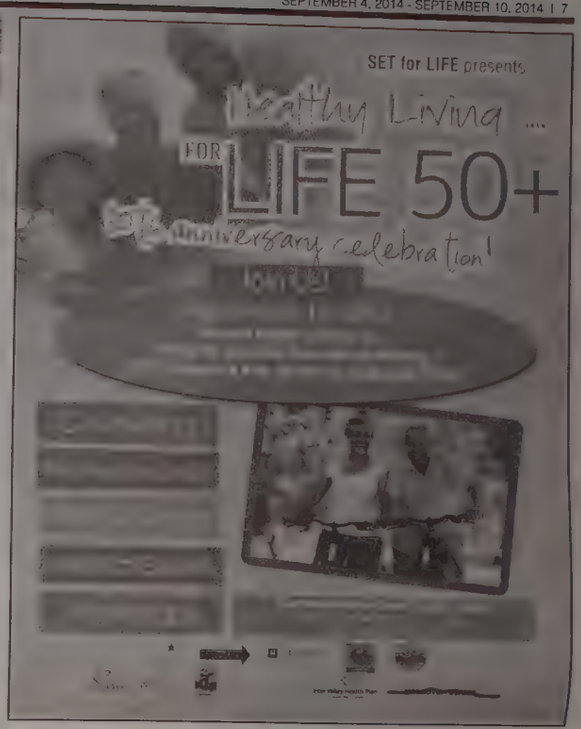
The Newcomers and Friends of San Gabriel Valley club invites new local residents in the San Gabriel Valley to join in their upcoming September events. The SGV Newcomers monthly "meet and greet" coffee will be held in Eagle Rock September 3rd at 10:00 a.m. The coffee is a great way to meet the member of SGV Newcomers and learn about the various monthly club activities. Anyone interested in joining the club is welcome to attend. Additionally, Newcomers is hosting a tour on September 24th in Pasadena.

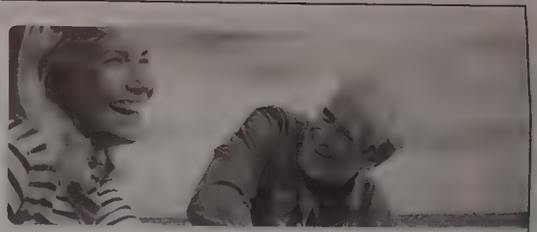
Other SGV Newcomers club activities include a book club, Bunco, Bridge, Mah jongg, Pinochle, Scrabbled, golf, hiking, garden club, movie goers, wine tasting, travel, luncheons, tours and more.

To learn more about the Newcomers and Friends of San Gabriel Valley club contact them via email at sgvnewcomers@yahoo.com or visit them online at http://www.sgvnewcomers.com (818) 415-6922.

City of Arcadia - 'Kids Night Out' Friday, September 12

Kid`s Night Out provides kids a night of fun and play so mom and dad can enjoy an evening out or a quiet evening at home. This event is held at the Arcadia Community Center, 365 Campus Drive, Arcadia, California 91007, from 6-11 p.m. Recreation Staff and Volunteers offer dinner, themed games, movies and supervision for children ages 4 and above. All activities will be geared toward elementary school children; anyone younger must be potty trained. Accommodations cannot be made for special dietary needs. The cost is $15.00 per child and also includes snacks and beverages. Pre-registration is mandatory and a $2 registration fee is applicable for those participants not registered in any other summer classes. Registration for Kid`s Night Out can done on-line at www.ci.arcadia.ca.us by fax, (626) 821-4370 or by coming into the Recreation Office, 375 Campus Drive, Arcadia, Ca. 91007. For more information please call (626) 574-5113.





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Local girls become young scientists and tech "experts" at Tech Trek Camp

In one short week, eleven middle-school girls from San Gabriel Valley school districts became more science and tech savvy. They spent June 15-21 on the Whittier College campus at Tech Trek Science/Math Camp for Girls exploring courses and possible futures in STEM Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW). The goal of Tech Trek Camp is to help young women entering eighth grade in the fall to develop interest, excitement, and self-confidence in the fields of math and science—in hope that they will continue to take more classes in those fields and o on to related careers.

Eleven local middle-school girls enjoyed Tech Trek Math/Science Camp at Whittier College this summer. Pictured in the front row (L to R) are Mariana Perez, Jocelyn Reyes, Carrie Saleeb and Jessica Liu in back (L to R) are Alena Perez, Veronica Castro, Malinelly Romero, Zoe Noble, Mariah Robles, Ella Cho and Faith Gutierrez. The Arcadia Branch of AAUW was the girl's sponsor. *-Courtesy Photo*

Representing Arcadia were Nancy Cho and Carrie Saleeb. El Monte City School District was represented by Joycelyn Reyes, Mariana Perez, Alena Perez, Veronica Castro, Jessica Liu and Malinelly Romero. Monrovia sent Mariah Robles and Temple City sent Faith Gutierrez.

These young women received a preview of college life while learning that math and science can be enjoyable. They lived in dorms on the Whittier College campus for the week and attended classes that emphasized hands-on experiments and were taught by credentialed middle-school teachers. Some of the core classes were Robotics and Mars City Alpha (about Mars` environment). Field trips included outings to the Long Beach Marine Institute and Griffith Park Observatory. The week was topped off by a "Build-It Festival" in which the girls used common materials to construct their projects. All enjoyed a Professional Woman`s Panel in which the girls were inspired by stories of the women`s various paths into STEM careers.

Students are nominated by teachers to attend Tech Trek Camp. The local branch of AAUW provides the funding for the students to attend and makes the final selection of campers. AAUW-Arcadia Branch members are supporting this endeavor, along with contributions from community donors. Major donors this year are the Arcadia Chinese Association, the Hakka Foundation, El Monte City Schools, and a special contribution from departing AAUW-Arcadia member Betty Harris.

Tech Trek had its beginnings at Stanford University in 1998. Ten more camps on California college campuses have followed throughout the years. AAUW branches in several other states are now adopting Tech trek Camp as a special project. To support programs like Tech Trek or to learn more about the American Association of University Women (AAUW), please contact Tech Trek Coordinator Phyllis Howard at (626) 359-325.

Senior programming at Museum Education Center

First Wednesdays of every month: 2:30–3:30 pm.

Ask the Curator: Preserving Your Family Treasures

Bring in your old photograph, document, book, quilt or any personal artifact from home and get helpful advice on preserving your personal memorabilia. (One artifact per person, per month. Curator does not give appraisals.) Drop-in program.

Third Wednesday of every month: 2:30–3:30 pm.

Those Were the Days Sing-Along

Remember when? Join in the fun and sing old-time songs from the 20`s, 30`s and 40`s! Song suggestions welcome! Led by Kimberly De Luca, Education Coordinator.

Fourth Wednesday of every month; 2:30–3:30 pm.

Write Your own Reminiscence

New oral history program at the Museum! Write a page or two about your personal experiences and memories of Arcadia`s history to add to the Museum`s archive! Drop-in program, guided by the Curator.

Lunch time talks at Museum Education Center

The museum continues presenting popular Lunchtime Talks the third Thursday of every month. Come and listen to our guest speakers who will present snippets about Arcadia history, people, places and events. Bring your own lunch or just sit and enjoy the talk with friends.

August 21: "Thoroughbred Walk of Champions;" Gail Marshall, Sandy Snider, Beth Costanza; Arcadia Historical Society.

September 18: "Wish You Were Here: Postcards from the Arcadia Museum`s Permanent Collection;" Dana Hicks, Curator, Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage.

October 16: "Household Has-beens: Home Goods from, the Nineteenth Century;" Kimberly De Luca; Education Coordinator, Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage.

November 20: "Hear the Stories of the Last Remaining Pack Station in Southern California;" Deb Burgess, Adams Pack Station.

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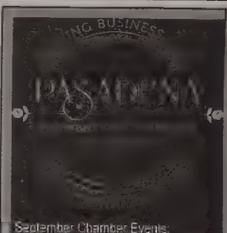

September Chamber Events:

Luncheon Alliance networking event: Wed. Sept. 3 at 11:45 am, Altadena Town & Country Club; $20 members/ $25 non-members. Sponsored by Marianne Emma Jeff of Women's Business Momentum Center.

Breakfast Connection networking event: Thurs., Sept. 11th at 7am Courtyard by Marriott; $20/$25. Sponsored by Bob Oppermann and CED

Pasadena Chamber After Hours Social and Mixer Thurs., Sept. 18th at 5pm hosted by "El Portal at 695 E. Green Street (In Arcadia Lane) in Pasadena; FREE-$10

Young Professionals of Pasadena are invited to join us for the *Taste of Pasadena and SIP-tember Finale* at the Rose Bowl on Sept. 25th. facebook.com/pasadenayoungpro

SIP-tember: A Celebration of the Cocktail throughout Pasadena. For info and to vote for your favorite, visit www.pasadenarestaurantweek.com.

In July, the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce welcomed these new members:

Advanced Urgent Care of Pasadena, Teresa Shomer, (626) 304-0404
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CurbStand, Jeremy Frigo, (215)284-5442
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HealthCare Partners Urgent Care Center, Deziree Berumen, (626) 795-2244
Inside The Frame, Gabrielle Gliniak, (626) 355-8211
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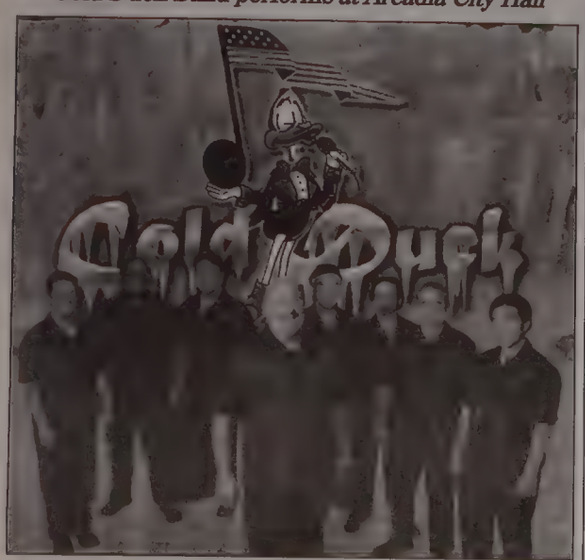
The Goldhill Group, Jonathan Goldhill, (818) 716-8826
Vibrant Living Wellness Center, Tina Paul, (626) 470-7711

TASTE OF PASADENA
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25th
from 6pm to 9pm at the ROSE BOWL

Enjoy food from two dozen of Pasadena's finest restaurants. Sample the four finalist cocktails in the *SIP-tember Cocktail Bracket Challenge* and vote for your favorite. Cost is $40 at the door, $30 in advance, $25 in advance for Pasadena Chamber members. To RSVP and pay visit pasadena-chamber.org, click on Events and follow the link to the Taste of Pasadena.

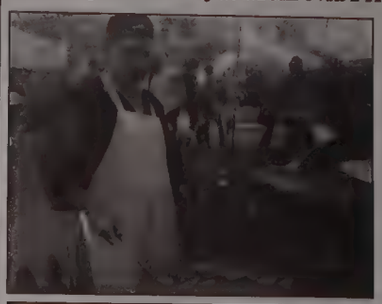
The Social Whirl

Cold Duck Band performs at Arcadia City Hall



Cold Duck Band is to entertain tonight, FREE on the front lawn at the Arcadia City Hall. Food trucks available. 6:30 p.m. -Courtesy Photo

Jake's BBQ at Monrovia Friday Night



The popular Jake's BBQ, a regular at the Monrovia Friday Night Street Fair will return for the third time for the Arcadia Museum Foundation's BBQ Bash. 09/28/14. -Courtesy Photo

Cheapest Taste of Arcadia tickets

Only chance to get $40 tickets to: Taste of Arcadia

The cheapest tickets you can buy to this year`s Taste of Arcadia will only be available for 90-minutes during the Arcadia Chamber of Commerce`s August 21 Networking Breakfast, sponsored by Rose Hills Memorial Park & Mortuary. A trio of Brazilian dances in full feathery costumes will be there to entertain you.

Tickets, which will cost $75 at the gate on September 22 and are currently available to Arcadia Chamber members for $50 in advance and non-members for $70, will be sold to any attendee of the Networking Breakfast for only $40. The main presentation during the program will be the first official sneak preview of all the exciting new and returning activities coming to Taste of Arcadia 2014, including Daniela Brazil and two of the other six Oya Samba Brazil dancers who will perform at Taste. A free pair of tickets to Taste of Arcadia (value $150) will also be donated during a free business card raffle at the end of the Breakfast program.

This month`s tribute to an Arcadia Business Icon will be presented to Monty Cleaners, 1004 S. Baldwin Avenue, by the Chamber in partnership with the Arcadia Historical Society. The Arcadia Business Icon recognition pays tribute to longstanding businesses in Arcadia for their ongoing contribution to the financial health of the City and to the historical cultural fabric of the community. Monty Cleaners owners David and Anna Hyun are celebrating 30 years of serving Arcadia and surrounding communities such as Temple City, Pasadena, Monrovia, Sierra Madre and San Marino with professional dry cleaning, custom laundry services and tailoring.

As always, attendees of the Networking Breakfast (third Thursday of each month) enjoy a great breakfast buffet, valuable networking with dozens of others, and the chance to win one of multiple gifts donated by members. Tickets to the breakfast are $20 in advance ($25 at the door) and discounted to $15 for Arcadia Chamber members who pay at least two days in advance ($20 at the door for Chamber members). No charge for those holding a Chamber All Access Pass. For tickets, call 626/447-2159; go to the "Shop" area of the Chamber web site at www.ArcadiaCaChamber.org. or stop by the Chamber office during business hours, 388 W. Huntington Drive, Arcadia.

Save the dates

August 23 : The Cal-Phil's last concert of the season; Broadway and Bolero

Arcadia Mayor John Wu and wife Jane will be special guests. The Mayor will proclaim August 23rd, 2014 as Maestro Victor Vener and California Philharmonic Day.

September 27: The Walk of Champions grand opening at the corner of Huntington Drive and First Avenue. The street will be closed for the party, which includes a band, refreshments, tours and more.

September 28: The Museum Foundation`s 3rd annual BBQ Bash, with mouthwatering Tri-tips and chicken and all the trimmings from Jake`s BBQ. The "Late Bloomer Band" will perform while attendees dine under the stars at the new Museum Education Center. For an invitation call (626) 355-6945.

October 23rd: The Arcadia Historical Society will hold a dinner and program at the historic Prince Erik`s (Denmark) former Mansion, in Arcadia 5:30–7:30 p.m.

Champagne Membership Brunch

The Arcadia Women`s Club will host their Traditional Membership Brunch September 17th, at their Historical Clubhouse, 324 S. First Avenue. Built in 1930-31, the clubhouse has been the scene of many community events and continues to this day as an icon in the city.

The Women`s Club is celebrating their 100 year anniversary this year and many special programs have been planned and enjoyed starting this past January. The club was founded in 1914.

A delicious catered brunch will be served, with music by Jay Mums at the keyboard. President Cheryl Alberg, will be greeting members and guests. Women interested in visiting are welcome. Reservations are a must. Call Gayle (626)355-5058. Time: 11:00 am. Cost: $12.00.

LOCAL NEWS

The Social Whirl

Members of the Santa Anita Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR)

Tour the Native American bead work exhibit at the Autry Museum, Saturday 8/2/14. L—R Regent Julia Fendrick, Ginny Blitz, Norma Finch, Darlene Besocke, Anne Gutierrez, Phyllis Cumbie, and Marg Totten, the group enjoyed lunch at the onsite "Crossroads West restaurant.
Photo Credit: Floretta Lauber

"The Art of Murder" on August 16th at Sierra Madre Playhouse

In marriage, life is hard. Dying is easy.

What happens when you mix the wit of Noel Coward with the plotting of Agatha Christie? A hearty dose of clever humor, two parts mayhem one part murder! Could the suspect be YOU? When an assortment of zany characters arrives unexpectedly at a country manor for the weekend, an Irish housemaid and a cockney chauffeur try to prevent their married employers–a playwright and his actress wife–from murdering each other. Liberal arts and conservative politics collide in misunderstandings, laughter, love, jealously and.....Murder!

WHAT: "The Art of Murder", Interactive murder mystery.

WHO: Revised and directed by Ken Salzman. Presented by SanZman Productions, Renaissance Murder Mystery Players and Sierra Madre Playhouse.

WHERE: Sierra Madre Playhouse, 87 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre, Ca. 91024.

WHEN: Saturday, August 16, 2014 at 8:00 p.m.

ADMISSION: $20.00

RESERVATIONS: (626)355-4318

ONLINE TICKETING: www.sierramadreplayhouse.org.

Adult volunteers needed for adult conversation class

If you speak English clearly and enjoy making new friends in an intercultural environment, the Conversational Skills Class at the Arcadia Public Library needs you.

This all volunteer class helps foreign-born adults, who are able to read and understand English, to improve their speaking skills. The class meets every Monday morning from 10:00 a.m. until noon during the school year. The class is managed by an all-volunteer team of leaders, tutors and registrars. New volunteers are needed in all areas.

An information Meeting will be held on Thursday, August 28 at 10:30 a.m. in the Library conference room to acquaint interested individuals with the program. Teaching experience is not necessary, but a clear speaking voice is most helpful.

If you want to do something that brings you new friends, a sense of achievement, and an intercultural experience without ever leaving Arcadia—come to the informational meeting. If you can`t make the meeting but are still interested, please call 626/821-5570.

The Arcadia Public Library is located at 20 W. Duarte Road, Arcadia. The Library is open Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. and Friday and Saturday, 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. You can also follow the Library on Twitter and Facebook.

Thoroughbred walk of champions lunchtime talk

Come hear Gail Marshall, Sandy Snider, and Beth Costanza of the Arcadia Historical Society talk about the new and exciting Thoroughbred Walk of Champions that is coming to Arcadia. The Lunchtime Talk will take place on August 21, 2014 at noon at the new Arcadia Museum Education Center, just adjacent to the Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage. Save the date of September 27th for the grand opening party, the public is invited.

For more information about the Lunchtime Talks, please call 626/574-5440 or visit the Museum`s website at http://museum.ci.arcadia.ca.us. The Museum Education Center is located at 382 W. Huntington Drive. He Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage is located at 380 W. Huntington Drive, both immediately behind the Community Center. The Museum is open Tuesday through Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (closed 12-1). Admission is always free.

Arcadia Woman's Club invites you guys and gals

Join in the fun; it is Summer Bridge and Bunco Mania Time. August 28th, 11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at their lovely Historical Club House, located at 324 S. First Avenue, Arcadia. Dessert and Munchies will be served; admission is $20.00 per person. Wine and beverage bar will be available plus prizes.

Call: Carol Anne Donahey for Bridge reservations (626)355-6132 or Cindy Auguiler for Bunco reservations (626)340-8549. If you wish to purchase tickets by mail; please make the checks payable to Arcadia Woman's Club, please include your name and the number of guests who will be attending. Send to P.O.Box #660861, Arcadia, Ca. 91066.

6th Annual Arcadia Juried Photography Contest and Exhibition Theme: "Abstract: What is That?" Exhibition: July 12—Sept. 13

Artistic abstract photographs can boggle the mind! How do you interpret your world through imagery? If you missed it this year, you may join us for our 7th Annual Juried Photography Contest in 2015 and share your images with the community! The theme for 2015 will be: Water in Motion. If you have a camera and can take photographs, you can enter! All judged and accepted entries will be hung in the final exhibition. 1st, 2nd, 3rd and honorable mention winners will be announced at the opening reception.

For all details and guidelines please visit our website at http://museum.ci.arcadia.ca.us.

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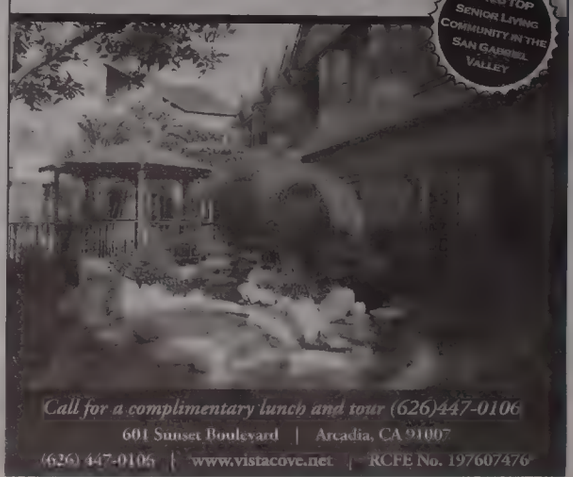

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LOCAL NEWS

Appraisal Day at Pasadena Museum of History - August 27

Tiffany Lamp -Courtesy Photo

Do you have a mystery object or a family heirloom that may be valuable?

Bring your treasures to Pasadena Museum of History for Bonhams` Appraisal Day on Wednesday, August 27, and discover their true worth! Specialists in Jewelry, Asian Art, Silver, furniture & decorative arts, and fine arts from Old Masters to contemporary will be on hand to review your items and offer verbal auction appraisals from 10:00 am to 12:30 pm, and 1:30 to 4:00 pm. Specific appointments are not necessary; there is a limit of five items per person.

Founded in 1793, Bonhams is one of the world`s oldest and largest auctioneers of fine art and antiques. In 2002 Bonhams acquired Butterfields, the West Coast`s premier auction house, founded in 1865 during the California gold rush.

Pasadena Museum of History is located at 470 W. Walnut Street (corner Orange Grove Boulevard and Walnut Street), Pasadena 91103. Free parking is available in the Museum lot and on Walnut Street. Participants are responsible for managing the movement of their items.

Museum Members $5 per item; Non-Members $10 per item. Limit 5 items. All proceeds benefit PMH. Purchase tickets at bonhams.brownpapertickets.com or at the door. www.pasadenahistory.org, 626.577.1660, ext.10.

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* Aug 13-15 **Laughlin, NV: 3 Days/3 Buffets** $139.50
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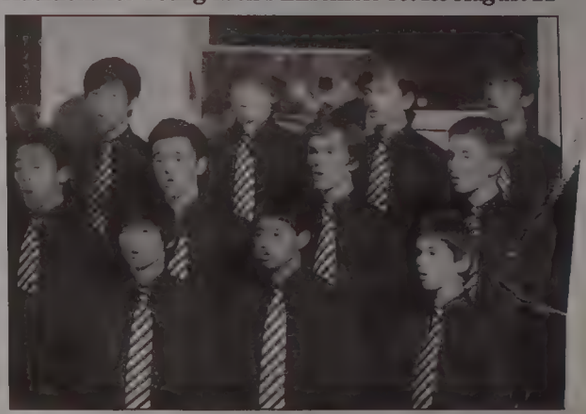
Auditions for Young Men's Ensemble set for August 21



Young Men's Ensemble of the Los Angeles Children's Chorus (based in Pasadena). *Photo Credit: Lee Salem*

The Pasadena based Los Angeles Children`s Chorus (LACC) is holding auditions for middle school and high school aged boys with changing or changed voices for its Young Men`s Ensemble (YME) on Thursday, August 21, 2014, at Pasadena Presbyterian Church, with appointments beginning at 4:30 p.m. Candidates must prepare one solo art or folk song and will also be gauged on their ability to sing as part of an ensemble. Those interested in auditioning should be proficient in the fundamentals of music theory and musicianship. The audition also includes a written music theory test and a sight-singing evaluation. YME is one of only a few choirs in the country to serve young male vocalists with changing voices. Led by Dr. Steven Kronauer, it offers quality vocal and choral training, providing boys with essential tools to help them sing through their vocal transition and a forum where they can learn more about the healthy development of their maturing voices in a fun, understanding and encouraging environment. YME holds rehearsals weekly on Sunday evenings (5:30- 7:15 p.m.) and features a specially tailored musicianship course and individualized vocal coaching sessions that adhere to LACC`s exceptionally high standards. Among numerous highlights, YME has toured Germany, Austria, Italy and Alaska and performed with Cuba`s celebrated Sine Nomine and the esteemed University of Michigan Men`s Glee Club and Harvard Glee Club.

Auditions will be held at Pasadena Presbyterian Church, located at 585 East Colorado Blvd., Pasadena. To make an audition appointment please call (626) 793-4231 or check on line at www.lachildrenschorus.org.

Elks National Foundation fundraiser Arcadia Elks Lodge 2025

In Association with sharpo entertainment productions presents "Murder at the Elks Lodge"

An Interactive Murder Mystery, Saturday September 13th. Cocktails: 6p.m. (show starts). Italian Buffet Dinner Served: 7 p.m. $25 per person, $45 per couple.

You are enjoying a relaxing visit to your local Elks Lodge. A shady and sinister character enters the room. He looks around and then leaves quietly. A moment later he returns with a scream....a knife protruding from his chest. He falls dead at your feet! Murdered!

Almost immediately a police detective appears on the scene and starts asking questions.

"Just where were you at the time of the murder?"

We hope you can join us for this fun filled night of suspense and laughter. But remember to be on your best behavior and have your alibi ready.

Tickets are limited, so please buy early to avoid missing out.

To make reservations please call: (626)445-2025

All Net proceeds to benefit The Elks National Foundation, please make checks payable to: BPOE 2025

The Social Whirl

BY FLORETTA LAUBER

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Museum Foundation gears for popular Fall BBQ Always a sell out....Save the date: Sep. 28

The Arcadia Museum Foundation is hard at work on their big fall BBQ dinner, held on the premises of their new Education Center and adjoining terrace. Members Lee Segal and Jan McEachern are co-chairs of this fundraising party. Returning by popular demand, are JAKE`S BBQ and the band "THE LATE BLOOMERS".

Funds will be used to furnish educational programming for the Education Center and Museum.

Those wanting an invitation mailed, should leave their name and address at the Museum–380 W. Huntington Drive, Arcadia.

Summer Bridge and Bunco Mania

Join in the fun gals and gents welcome August 27th at 11:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Arcadia Woman`s Club 324 S. First Avenue, Arcadia.

Dessert and munchies included, entry fee $20.00 Beverage and wine bar.

Mail check to: Arcadia Woman`s Club, include names for bridge or bunco.

P.O. Box #660861, Arcadia, CA. 91066 before August 22nd for information call: Carol Anne Donahey at (626) 355-6132.

Taiwain - USA Synergy

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in Los Angeles and The Board of Governors of City Club Los Angeles invite all interested persons to attend this Taiwan USA Synergy event to take place on August 5, 2014. Ambassador Linghu will be the Keynote Speaker.

This will be one of Ambassador Linghu`s last public appearances before he departs for Canada as the Republic of China (Taiwan) Ambassadorial Representative to Canada. Ambassador Linghu will give an overview on Taiwan, and the important economic relations between Taiwan, mainland China, and USA since Taiwan is America`s 12th largest trading partner, California`s 7th largest trading partner and the 4th largest trading partner to Los Angeles County. There will also be a Round Table Panel discussion regarding bilateral trade and business opportunities between Taiwan and Los Angeles.

Speakers include:

Ambassador "Bruce" Jung-Da Linghu, Director-General, Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Los Angeles. Roundtable Discussion Panel:Deborah Lee, C.P.A.Tax Partner PricewaterhouseCoopers, LLP

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Anticipated Synergy Attendees:

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Adata, LIULI GONG FANG USA Inc., Franz Collection Inc., EVA Air, and KHS Bicycles. Taiwanese cuisine will be jointly catered by Monja Restaurant and City Club LA. Dinner and entertainment will cost $75/person.

Cultural Entertainment: Taiwanese Puppet Show "Monkey King" and "Electric-Techno Neon God" Taiwanese dance presentation.

5:30 PM - 8:30 PM @ City Club Los Angeles

555 S. Flower Street, 51st Floor Los Angeles

For reservations, please contact City Club LA, Ms. Mona Chatterjee: 213-620-9662 x225.

'Project House' outreach to Pasadena's homeless

BY SHEL SEGAL

With the growing number of homeless in the San Gabriel Valley, the city of Pasadena has decided to try a new approach to the problem.

Called "Project House," those living on the street are still given traditional outreach services with one bonus: they are also given a place to live, said Anne Lansing, a project planner with the city of Pasadena who oversees homeless services.

-Photo by Terry Miller

"Once they are in housing, services are provided to them in order to keep them stable and housed permanently," she said.

Lansing said that is a change in thinking then how public agencies deal with the homeless.

"That`s different from what used to be done – and is still done to a degree – which was homeless people would have to jump through hoops," she said. "You`re homeless, you go into an emergency shelter. If you obey the rules of the emergency shelter, after a certain amount of time you`d move to transitional housing. Transitional housing was up to two years, and if you did what you`re supposed to do you would stabilize and go back into the community. For a lot of people that works really well."

However, it doesn`t work for everybody, and therein lies the real problem, she said.

"But there`s a group of people – if you think of people who are stereotypically homeless – there are those things combined to make that group of people follow the rules, to stay sober, to take mental health medication," Lansing said. "The thought was, 'What`s the best way to end this person`s homelessness to get them into housing?`"

Lansing also said letting the homeless have some respect for themselves – and a little freedom – is better for them – and for public agencies – in the long run.

"You move someone into housing and all those services that were provided to them if they met various rules are then provided to them in the housing," she said. "They need it anyway. And instead of spending the money on programs people are going to wash out of, it`s cheaper – and more effective – to put them into the housing, provide them the services in that housing. The thing that you`re looking at isn`t are you following the rules of your program. The thing you`re looking at is are you able to maintain the terms of your lease ... It`s more human and more humane."

Being homeless can take its toll on a person. And that toll translates into dollars that have to be paid one way or another, she said.

"The people who were washing out of these programs and staying on the streets for 20 years would have medical issues happen while they were out there," Lansing said. "They would have medical emergencies. Paramedics would come pick them up. They would end up staying in the hospital for 30 days ... It ends up being costly on society. But if you just put that person into housing all of a sudden they`re connected with the local clinic."

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LOCAL NEWS

Gov. Brown meets with Mexico's President Enrique Peña Nieto and Antonio Meade Kuribreña

President Peña Nieto commits to California visit

Following meetings with Mexico`s President Enrique Peña Nieto and Secretary of Foreign Affairs José Antonio Meade Kuribreña on the first full day of the Governor`s Trade and Investment Mission to Mexico, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. July 28th announced that Mexico`s President has accepted his invitation to visit California.

Governor Brown meets with President Peña Nieto. -*Courtesy Photo*

The announcement follows the invitation Governor Brown extended last week when he met with Secretary Meade in Sacramento.

"California and Mexico share a rich history and strong cultural ties and we look forward to welcoming President Peña Nieto to the Golden State," said Governor Brown.

The Governor first announced the Trade and Investment Mission to Mexico in his 2014 State of the State address and met with Mexican Consuls General from cities across California in March.

The Governor is joined on the Trade and Investment Mission to Mexico by a delegation of state legislators and senior administration officials. A delegation organized by the California Chamber of Commerce with the help of the California Foundation for Commerce and Education that includes approximately 90 business, economic development, investment and policy leaders from throughout California is also participating in the trade mission.

Regency Park Oak Knoll:

A Memory Care Community

Located on a tree-lined residential street in Old Town Pasadena, Regency Park Oak Knoll offers assisted living and memory care for seniors. Surrounded by a tranquil neighborhood, residents are assured of a safe and secure environment combined with specialized care.

-*Courtesy Photo*

One of Oak Knoll`s unique qualities as a memory care community is that, unlike other such communities, the residents are not situated in a locked unit, so all residents enjoy the pleasures of freedom of movement. With a resident population that ranges from early to late-stage dementia, Oak Knoll strives to reproduce a dignified, home-like environment to the maximum extent possible.

The activities program, which has been developed over many years based on focused research and study, is based on the therapeutic principals of occupational therapy. An initial two-week assessment period enables the staff to create an individualized care and activity plan that supports each resident`s level of function while providing a focus specific to the needs of each individual resident.

The goal of Oak Knoll`s activities program is to improve or maintain the quality of life for the resident based on such resident`s physical, emotional, cognitive and social functional abilities. We believe that participation in a vibrant and dynamic activities program helps to maintain and improve the cognitive skills of residents.

In addition, Oak Knoll offers support programs for residents` family members, as well as the ability to participate in activities with their loved ones.

"The life-changing effects of memory disorders touch not only the persons afflicted, but also the hearts and lives of their loved ones," said Gladys Broxton, LVN and Executive Director. "We are pleased to be able to offer not only resources to our family members, but also professional support and understanding."

For more information regarding Regency Park Oak Knoll, please call Jeanine Hernandez, Marketing Director at 626.578.1551.

The Social Whirl

BY FLORETTA LAUBER

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Pasadena Showcase House for the Arts is accepting applications for gifts and grants

The doors to the Pasadena Showcase House of design have closed; but, the volunteers of Pasadena Showcase House for the Arts (PSHA) are busier than ever preparing for the next phase of their year. Applications for gifts or grants are now available on their website at www.PasadenaShowcase.org. The deadline for submitting an application is October 10, 2014.

Last May, $685,000 was awarded to sixty local non-profit organizations and schools by PSHA. The proceeds for the 2013 Showcase House enabled the organization to continue its legacy of funding music programs throughout the community.

Eileen Reilly, a resident of La Canada Flintridge, who has been a member of PSHA for twelve years, will be chairing the Gifts & Grants Committee. Ms. Reilly, a retired attorney, is excited about chairing this committee and overseeing the process. She understands the critical difference these grants make to programs that struggle financially and how important these programs are to the community.

Each year, PSHA awards gifts and grants to a diverse list of non-profit organizations to support their efforts in the community Concerts are underwritten to insure that the joy of live music is available to a broad range of audiences. Support of choirs, musical theater, school marching bands, dance programs, opera, jazz bands, and orchestras enriches the community and provides opportunities for a variety of groups, from, students to seniors, to learn, enjoy and grow from their experiences in these programs. Additionally, PSHA has a longstanding history of supporting the Los Angeles Philharmonic and its community outreach programs. Since 1948, PSHA has donated nearly $20 million to outstanding organizations that enrich the lives of countless people and support the arts throughout the community.

Arcadia at the Movies

Arcadia like you've never seen it before! The Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage will be presenting its third annual Arcadia at the Movies program featuring movies that have been filmed in Arcadia over the many decades. A pre-movie talk will be presented by the Curator with a background o the movie and cast. Bring your lawn chair and a beverage and relax with a fun-filled evening. The Museum will provide the popcorn!!

Tarzan Escapes featuring Johnny Weissmuller, 1936, will be featured on July 18; 7:30 p.m.

The Big Noise featuring Laurel and Hardy, 1944, will be featured on August 15; 7:30 p.m.

All programs are free to the public. The Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage is located at 380 W. Huntington Drive, Arcadia, immediately behind the Community Center. The hours are Tuesday through Saturday 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. (Closed on Sundays and Mondays and 12-1 daily). For more information, please call 626/574-5440 or visit the Museum's website at http://museum.ci.arcadia.ca.us.

Coping with stress and techniques to help

Arcadia Senior Services in partnership with Pacific Clinics, Pasadena will be having a special free health presentation for individuals 50 years of age and older. This informative lecture will discuss what is "normal" stress and different types of stress. Facts of negative stress in your mood and health, and how to define what a stressor is. There will be strategies for managing stress including; limiting stressors, taking control over your stress, adapting and accepting stress. The guest speaker will also guide you on stress reduction techniques or similar techniques to help you become relaxed and tranquil. The lecture will take place on Thursday, July 24, 2014 at 1:30 p.m. at the Arcadia Community Center, 365 Campus Drive. Please call Arcadia Senior Services at 626/574-5130 if you are interested in attending.

(WIN) to host Victorian Tea

Women Investing in Nurses (WIN) from Methodist Hospital is sponsoring its second annual fundraiser on Sunday, September 28th at 2:00 p.m. at the Arcadia Community Center. The event, a formal tea, raises money to support the education of the nurses at Methodist Hospital. The activity is quite unique because each table will be decorated differently to carry out the Victorian theme. All attendees are required to wear hats and gloves. Tickets are $50. Please call Debbi Cordano at 626/821-2319 or e-mail her at debbi.cordano@methodisthospitalorg for further details.

LATE NEWS

Is a college education all it's cracked up to be; *In a word, 'Yes'*

BY SHEL SEGAL

As the expense of a post-secondary education–and the level of student debt –continue to increase, many consumers in the San Gabriel Valley may wonder if a college education is worth it.

The short answer is yes. Despite the significant financial investment, there is a true return in the job market.

A recent analysis of Labor Department statistics by the Economic Policy Institute in Washington revealed the earnings gap among young people with a college degree versus those without reached a record high in 2013.

Americans with a four-year college degree made an average of 98 percent more per hour last year than those without a college degree. This number is up from 85 percent in 2003 and 64 percent in the early 1980s.

The Labor Department noted approximately two-thirds of full-time undergraduate college students receive some form of financial aid, ranging from student loans, scholarships and grants, to college savings accounts and work-study programs.

So what should consumers in the San Gabriel Valley look for when shopping for a student loan or alternative college financing?

"With tuition costs on the rise, it is important for consumers to begin planning their financing as soon as possible," said Tena Lozano, consumer advocacy manager with the California Credit Union League. "Even if you have been proactively saving for college, it does not guarantee you won't need financial assistance and student loans are a great help."

Lozano added there are a number of factors to consider when obtaining a student loan, including:

How much can you afford?

Is the school worth the cost of the education?

How long will it take to pay back the loan?

You should also consider the intended career path. What kind of income will you make after you graduate and what is the job market like in that field?

"When it comes to the actual loan, know what type of loan you are getting," Lozano said. "If you have to borrow, look to federal student loans first, since they are funded by the government and can carry less risk. If you need additional money, make sure you go through a lender you can trust for private funding, such as a credit union."

Lozano gave other tips to financing a college education:

Start saving now: Whether you are months, years or decades away from paying for college, start saving today. The earlier you begin putting money into a college savings plan, the more time it has to grow. Take advantage of college savings calculators, such as at www.WeOwnOurBank.com, to determine how much you will need to save.

Seek assistance: It's always a good idea to speak with an experienced financial advisor about college savings goals and financing options. Many credit unions have financial advisors available.

Do your research: Below are a few options you have for financing a college education. Research each option and speak with a financial advisor to ensure you understand the full benefits of each.

Scholarships and grants: Before you borrow, make sure you have exhausted all sources for free money from scholarships and grants. Opportunities can be found through academic performance, athletic performance, workplace benefits, church and community organizations, in-state lottery funded programs, and much more.

Prepaid tuition plans: Many institutions of higher learning offer in-state residents the opportunity to lock in a tuition rate to public colleges and universities years in advance. If you have enough money now, you could prepay for a complete four-year degree, or just prepay a portion of the expenses now.

529 college savings plans: Each state offers its own plan, some with special tax incentives. All account earnings are tax-free on the federal and state level as long as the money is used for higher-education expenses including tuition, fees, books, room, and board.

Coverdell education savings accounts: The non-tax deductible contributions are limited to $2,000 per year and the account grows tax-free until the funds are distributed.

Work-study programs: Offered by the federal government, state governments or by specific colleges and universities, these programs help fill the gaps in financial aid. Student hours are limited and the pay is not high, however participation can be beneficial.

Individual Retirement Accounts (IRAs): You can use money saved in an IRA to fund educational expenses. With a Roth IRA (most common for this use) you generally have more control over how the money is invested, but there are lower annual contribution limits than for 529 plans. You can also avoid the 10-percent early withdrawal penalty if the funds are used for qualified college expenses. If you end up not needing the funds for college expenses, the money can remain in the Roth for retirement.

For further tips and resources, San Gabriel Valley consumers can click on www.WeOwnOurBank.com.

(Shel Segal can be reached at ssegal@beaconmedianews.com. He can be followed via Twitter @segal-landed.)

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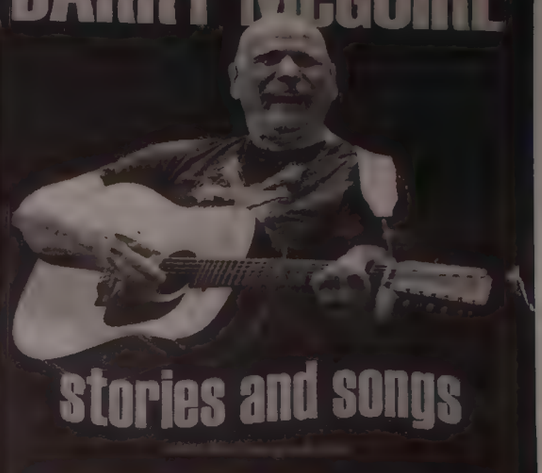

stories and songs

The man who sang "Eve of destruction"
Appearing at Emmanuel Church
23 West Foothill Blvd. Arcadia,91006
Sunday July 27 @ 11:00 A.M.
Cross street Santa Anita

STOP FORECLOSURES

A new California Appellate case just published August 8, 2013, **"Glaski v. Bank of America"**, holds that a homeowner can challenge his lender's right to foreclose by showing that the Deed of Trust never made it into the securitized trust until after the trust's closing date.

This is the case in most loans made in the last 12 years. **If the bank foreclosed we should be able to get the homeowner money damages and/or the house back.** Or a lawsuit could be filed and a court ruling obtained preventing the court from foreclosing. Recently enacted Sections 2924(a)(6) and 2924.19 of California Civil Code provide the same relief to homeowners.

It is highly suggested that homeowners take this window of opportunity to get relief before the banks get Congress to close this door with national legislation. Contact us so we can help you.

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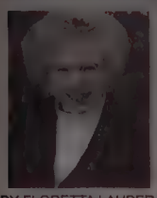

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3 Santa Anita Chapter DAR Members see four-star 1st woman Admiral Honored

#1 DAR President General Lynne Forney Young, presents the DAR Patriot Award to the first female Admiral at special ceremony during the 123rd Continental Congress. #2 DAR Headquarters in Washington, D.C. The Daughters of the American Revolution headquarters building is located at 1776 D Street, NW, in Washington, D.C. Memorial Continental Hall, the oldest building of the DAR complex, was designed in 1905 by architect Edward Pearce Casey. #3 Arcadia DAR members at Constitution Hall L-R Billie Tone, California National Officer Karen Jackard, Julie Fendrick (Regent) and Ginny Blitz. #4 DAR National Board Members at 123rd Continental Congress in Washington,D.C. *-Courtesy Photos*

Regent Julia Fendrick and officers Ginny Blitz and Billie Tone returned recently from attending the 123rd Continental Congress of the Daughters of the Revolution in Washington D.C. A highlight of their historic trip was attending the National Defense night where DAR President General Lynne Forney Young, presented the DAR Patriot Award to four- star Admiral Michelle Howard. The following news release gives her background.

The Navy has promoted Michelle Howard from vice admiral to admiral, making her the first female four-star admiral in its 236-year history and the service`s new vice chief of naval operations.

Howard paid tribute to the Nation`s service members Tuesday morning at her promotion ceremony, held at the Women in Military Service for America Memorial at Arlington National Cemetery. In her brief remarks, she said that the "willingness to step up and contribute to a noble cause in your life is a sign of true selflessness."

"Our sailors and Marines are this legacy. They are volunteers, "she said. "And with every mission, they demonstrate our core values, values our founders would have understood--courage, honor, commitment."

Howard graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1982, and she was the first black woman to command a ship.

She recently told the Navy Times that there are many more opportunities for women in the military than there were when she first joined.

"Now I think about it all these years later, the combat exclusion law was repealed and women can serve on all classes of ships, all types of aircraft. And then the last couple of years, opening up the submarines to women—it`s significant, "she said.

But she has still encountered obstacles. "There were individuals who didn`t want me there or wanted to undermine what I was trying to do, "Howard told WJLA-TV in Washington, D.C.

That sort of skepticism has followed Howard. In 2013, a Navy report found that one of her peers told others that he believed Howard`s promotion to vice admiral was sped up because of her race and gender and she "may not have had to cross as many hurdles in the same fashion to get where she was at."

In an interview with the Navy Times in January, retired Rear Admiral, Sonny Masso took issue with that characterization.

"Do I think she`s a token female, a token African-American, or anything like that? I would say absolutely and emphatically not," Masso said. "(With) her performance and critical jobs across the spectrum....she has brought an extraordinary amount of experience that is equal to any of her peers."

Myths about Menopause - Presentation held at Methodist Hospital -

The City of Arcadia in partnership with Methodist Hospital is having a special health presentation on Tuesday, July 22, 2014 from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. This informative lecture will take place at the Arcadia Community Center, 365 Campus Drive, Arcadia. Alan Schlaerth, MD., Gynecologic Oncologist will discuss that menopause does not have to be all about hot flashes, sleeping problems and mood swings. It is simply another "period" of life that women experience. It is a time when women experience new freedom and energy--and a whole new outlook and sense of purpose for the rest of their lives! Dr. Schlaerth will talk about appropriate screenings after menopause. You will also hear about the new gynecologic oncology department. This program is for individuals 50 years of age and older. Please call Arcadia Senior Services at 626/574-5130 if you are interested in attending.

Local Agent Will Buy Your Home for Cash

Every month, thousands of homeowners are faced with the stressful dilemma of whether to buy first or sell first. You see, if you buy before selling, you could run the risk of owning two homes. Or, just as bad, if you sell first, you could end up homeless. It's what insiders in the industry call the Real Estate Catch 22, and it's an extremely anxious position to be in.

This financial and emotional tightrope is one you usually have to walk alone because most agents have no way of helping you with this predicament. But one local realtor is using a unique Guaranteed Sale Program which solves this dilemma. This program guarantees the sale of your present home before you take possession of your new one. If your home doesn't sell in 120 days, they will buy it from you themselves for the previously agreed price ensuring that you never get caught in the Real Estate Catch '22. Before you hire any professional, you should research the market to find out who can do the best job for you. When interviewing agents, find out what kind of guarantee they are willing to give you with respect to the selling of your home. Unfortunately, you'll find that most agents simply cannot make such a guarantee.

To help you learn more about this program and how it can make your move less stressful, a FREE special report has been prepared entitled "How to Avoid Getting Stuck with Two Homes". To order a FREE Special Report, call toll-free 1-888-300-4632 and enter 1022. You can call any time, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Get your free special report NOW to find out how to guarantee the cash sale of your home.

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Metro Gold Line v. Julie C. Bowden - Property Address: 16009 Avenida Padilla in the City of Irwindale, California and further identified as Los Angeles County Tax Assessor's Parcel Number 8615-001-046.

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"Any and All Persons"

SUM-100

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Sherri R. Carter, Executive Officer/Clerk
By: Judi Lara, Deputy

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You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association. NOTE: The court has a statutory lien for waived fees and costs on any settlement or arbitration award of $10,000 or more in a civil case. The court's lien must be paid before the court will dismiss the case. (AVISO! Lo han demandado. Si no responde dentro de 30 días, la corte puede decidir en su contra sin escuchar su versión. Lea la información a continuación.

Tiene 30 DIAS DE CALENDARIO después de que le entreguen esta citación y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.

Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.sucorte.ca.gov) o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales. AVISO: Por ley, la corte tiene derecho a reclamar las cuotas y los costos exentos por imponer un gravamen sobre cualquier recuperación de $10,000 ó más de valor recibida mediante un acuerdo o una concesión de arbitraje en un caso de derecho civil. Tiene que pagar el gravamen de la corte antes de que la corte pueda desechar el caso.

The name and address of the court is:
(El nombre y dirección de la corte es):
Los Angeles Superior Court
111 North Hill Street

CASE NUMBER:
(Número del Caso)
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Los Angeles, CA 90012

The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is:
(El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es):
Regina N. Danner (213) 626-8484 (213) 626-0078
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Los Angeles, CA 90071-3101

DATE: Clerk, by Judi Lara, Deputy
(Fecha) SHERRI R. CARTER (Secretario) (Adjunto)

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NOTICE TO THE PERSON SERVED: You are served
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2. as the person sued under the fictitious name of (specify):
3. on behalf of (specify):
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ARCADIA WEEKLY

Public Notices

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
EAST WEST BROADWAY
GLENDALE, CA 91206

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
CASE NUMBER: ES018016

PETITION OF
CHESTER SHIU CHUNG POON
FOR CHANGE OF NAME AND GENDER

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS
1. Petitioner: CHESTER SHIU CHUNG POON filed a petition with this court for a decree changing petitioner's name (proposed name) CHESTER POON
2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted NOTICE OF HEARING
Date: September 2, 2014 Time 8:30 am Dept: E
A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once in each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county
Dated: June 12, 2014
/s/MARY THORNTON HOUSE
JUDGE MARY THORNTON HOUSE
Judge of the Superior Court
Publish: June 19, 26, Jul 3, 10, 2014
ARCADIA WEEKLY

NOTICE OF SALE
In accordance with the provisions of the California Commercial Code and California Civil Code, there being due and unpaid storage for which Tree Lane Mobile Home Park is entitled to a Warehouse lien on the mobilehome hereinafter described and due notice having been given to all parties claiming an interest therein and the time specified in such notice for payment of such having expired,
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the mobilehome hereinafter described will be sold to the highest bidder at public sale at Tree Lane Mobile Home Park, 1020 Bradbourne Avenue, Space No. 37, City of Duarte, County of Los Angeles, California, on the 24th day of July, 2014, at 10:00 o'clock A.M
The mobilehome to be sold in accordance with this notice is described as follows:
Manufacturer: Unknown
Tradename: Kit
Model Year: 1962
Serial Nos: FBT58122CKS656
HCD Decal No: ABE5510
The parties believed to claim an interest in the above-referenced mobilehome are:
Robert Navarro
Estate of Robert Navarro
Los Angeles County Public Administrator
Los Angeles County Public Administrator, on behalf of Estate of Robert Navarro
The amount of the warehouse lien as of June 11, 2014, is $2197.19. The above sum will increase by the amount of $20.70 per day for each day after June 11, 2014, until the date of sale, as well as any additional lien sale costs incurred.
Said mobilehome will be sold "as is" and "where is," and without any covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, mobilehome park approval, encumbrances, or any other matter whatsoever, including, but not limited to, the implied warranty of merchantability.
Purchase of the mobilehome does not include any right to the mobilehome space. any right to resell the home to remain on the space or to tenancy within Tree Lane Mobile Home Park unless specifically agreed upon in writing by Tree Lane Mobile Home Park. Any purchaser of the home may be responsible to pay any and all unpaid registration fees, taxes, fees or liens owed to the State of California and/or other governmental entities
Dated this 30th day of June, 2014, at Cerritos, California
LAW OFFICES OF LARRY W WEAVER
By: S/ Larry W. Weaver, Authorized Agent for Tree Lane Mobile Home Park
17777 Center Court Drive, Suite 450, Cerritos, CA 90703
(562) 924-0900
7/3, 7/10/14
CNS-2649958
ARCADIA WEEKLY

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME PETITION OF Kimberly Guadalupe Posas Bonilla FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: ES018016 Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles 600 East Broadway, Glendale, CA 91206 North Central TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS
1. Petitioner Kimberly Guadalupe Posas Bonilla filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows: Present name a. Kimberly Guadalupe Posas Bonilla to Proposed name Kimberly Guadalupe Chiguindo Bonilla 2. THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting may file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing. NOTICE OF HEARING a.Date: 11-26-14 Time: 8:30 AM Dept: D Room: b. The address of the court is same as noted above. 3. a. A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the day set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: EL MONTE EXAMINER DATED June 20, 2014 Mary Thornton House JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT Pub. July 3, 10, 17, 24, 2014 EL MONTE EXAMINER

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
ESQUIBEL, MONICA VS ESQUIBEL, LUIS
CASE NO: BD332613 R
Under a writ of Execution issued on 12/17/13. Out of the L. A. SUPERIOR COURT STAN-LEY MOSK, of the CENTRAL DISTRICT, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on a judgment entered on 11/30/10
In favor of ESQUIBEL, MONICA (RANDAZZO) and against ESQUIBEL, LUIS showing a net balance of $ 52,332 56 actually due on said judgment. (Amount subject to revision)
I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of said judgment debtor(s) in the property in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, described as follows
ALL THAT CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY SITUATED IN THE CITY OF EL MONTE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:
LOT(S) 175 OF TRACT NO. 7007, IN THE CITY OF EL MONTE, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AS PER MAP RECORDED IN BOOK 85 PAGE(S) 30 AND 31 OF MAPS, IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY
EXCEPT ALL OIL, WATER, GAS AND OTHER KINDRED SUBSTANCES AS RESERVED IN DEED REGISTERED APRIL 12 1926 AS DOCUMENT NO 94096
ALSO EXCEPT THEREFROM THE SOUTHWESTERLY 5 FEET AS GRANTED TO THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, BY DEED RECORDED DECEMBER 18, 1967 AS INSTRUMENT NO. 1379.
APN# 8577-017-015
Commonly known as 10049 VALLEY BLVD , EL MONTEL CA 91731
Public notice is hereby given that I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States all the right, title and interest of the debtor(s) in the above described property or so much as will be sufficient to satisfy said writ or warrant with interest and all costs on 08/06/14, 10:00 AM at the following location
STANLEY MOSK COURTHOUSE
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LOS ANGELES, CA90012
(XXX) This sale is subject to a minimum bid in the amount of $ 0 00. (Subject to revision)
Prospective bidders should refer to sections 701.510 to 701.680, inclusive, of the Code of Civil Procedure for provisions governing the terms, conditions and effect of the sale and the liability of defaulting bidders.
Creditor's Attorney
LILLI B MUSIL
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Jul 10,17,24, 2014
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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
MOUNTAIN COVE COMMUNITY VS RUCKER, TAMELA
CASE NO: 11CJ1751 R
Under a writ of Sale issued on 04/28/14 Out of the L.A. SUPERIOR COURT STANLEY MOSK, of the CENTRAL DISTRICT, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on a judgment entered on 10/25/11
The described property is sold subject to the right of redemption. The amount of the secured indebtedness with interest and costs is $ 11,407 01 (Amount subject to revision)
In favor of MOUNTAIN COVE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION and against RUCKER, TAMELA
I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of said judgment debtor(s) in the property in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, described as follows
LOT 143 OF TRACT 52824-1 AS SHOWN ON THE APPLICABLE RECORDED TRACT MAP IN THE RECORDS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY, CALIFORNIA, AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED ON THAT CERTAIN GRANT DEED RECORDED ON JULY 31, 2007, AS INSTRUMENT NUMBER 20071808969
APN# 8684-048-024
Commonly known as: 35 TURNING LEAF WAY, AZUSA, CA 91702
Public notice is hereby given that I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States all the right, title and interest of the debtor(s) in the above described property or so much as will be sufficient to satisfy said writ or warrant with interest and all costs on 08/06/14, 10:00 AM at the following location
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE AND OF INTENTION TO TRANSFER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE(S)
(UCC Sec. 6101 et seq. and B & P Sec. 24074 et seq.)
Escrow No. 002212-EF
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bulk sale of assets and a transfer of alcoholic beverage license is about to be made. The name(s) Social Security or Federal Tax Numbers and address of the Seller(s)/ Licensee(s) are: GERARDO CESAR CUDICH, 110 E. LIME AVE, MONROVIA, CA 91016-2840
The business is known as: 21 BISTRO
The name(s) Social Security or Federal Tax Numbers and addresses of the Buyer(s)/Transferee(s) is/are: GIGI'S BAKERY, INC, 2200 TEMPLE ST, LOS ANGELES CA 90026
As listed by the Seller(s)/Licensee(s), all other business name(s) and address(es) used by the Seller(s)/Licensee(s) within three years before the date such list was sent or delivered to the Buyer/Transferee is/are NONE
The assets to be sold described in general as FURNITURE FIXTURES AND EQUIPMENT, GOODWILL, LIQUOR LICENSE, COVENANT NOT TO COMPETE and is/are located at: 110 E. LIME AVE, MONROVIA, CA 91016-2840
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The anticipated date of sale/transfer is AUGUST 6, 2014 at the office of: LOTUS ESCROW, 55 EAST HUNTINGTON DR, STE 120, ARCADIA, CA 91006.
The amount of the purchase price or consideration in connection with the transfer of the license and business, including estimated inventory, is the sum of $40,000 00 which consists of the following: CASH $40,000 00
It has been agreed between the seller(s)/ licensee(s) and the intended Buyer(s)/ Transferee(s), as required by Sec. 24073 of the Business and Professions code, that the consideration for transfer of the business and license is to be paid only after the transfer has been approved by the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control
Dated: JUNE 27, 2014
Seller: GERARDO CESAR CUDICH
Buyer: GIGI'S BAKERY, INC
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Notice of Lien Sale:
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The contents of the storage units below consists mainly of householdand or office goods. The contents of
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Trustee Notices

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 1382231-31 APN 5368-004-006 TRA: 8467 LOAN NO: Xxxxxx6428 REF: Zuniga Jr, Santos IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST, DATED April 12, 2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On July 16, 2014, at 9:00am, Cal-western Reconveyance Llc, a duly appointed trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded April 25, 2005, as Inst. No. 05-0951055 in book XX, page XX of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, State of California, executed by: Santos V Zuniga Jr An Unmarried Man, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the financial code and authorized to do business in this state: Behind the fountain located in civic center plaza, 400 civic Center Plaza Pomona, California all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State described as: Completely described in said deed of trust. The street address and other common designation if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 605 East Angeleno Avenue San Gabriel CA 91776 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any shown herein. Said sale will be held, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession, condition or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: $404,872 51 (Estimated). Accrued interest and additional advances if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. It is possible that at time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call (619)590-1221 or visit the internet website www.dpsfc.com, using the file number assigned to this case 1382231-31. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web Site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. For sales information:(619)590-1221, Cal-Western Reconveyance LLC, 525 East Main Street, PO Box 22004 El Cajon, CA 92022-9004 Dated: June 13, 2014 (DLPP-438455 06/26/14, 07/03/14, 07/10/14) SAN GABRIEL SUN

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 9411-7124 TSG Order No. 1565028 A.P.N. 8589-017-005 NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED (The above statement is made pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(c)(1) The Summary will be provided to Trustor(s) and/or vested owner(s) only, pursuant to CA Civil Code Section 2923.3(c)(2)) YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 08/06/2012. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state) will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee under the deed of trust described below, in the property situated in said County and State and more fully described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the deed of trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and for any principal additional advances, with interest thereon, which may be made pursuant to the terms of the obligations secured by the Deed of Trust (estimated) Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to the sale. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. Trustor: Jose Luis Ramirez and Maria Ramirez, husband and wife as joint tenants Duly Appointed Trustee: Western Progressive, LLC Recorded 08/23/2012 as Document No. 20121236543 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Los Angeles County, California Date of Sale: 08/04/2014 at 11:00 AM Place of Sale: By the fountain located at 400 Civic Center Plaza, Pomona, CA 91766 Street Address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 9025 KAUFFMAN AVE, TEMPLE CITY, CA 91780-3944 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation if any shown herein. Said sale will be made in an "AS IS" condition, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, estimated fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit: $404,872.51 (Estimated). Accrued interest and additional advances if any, will increase this figure prior to sale. It is possible that at time of sale the opening bid may be less than the total indebtedness due. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company either of which may charge you a fee for this informa-

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Celebrate the 4th on this 236th Birthday of the USA

BY SHEL SEGAL

As the nation prepares to celebrate its 236th birthday, here is a list of patriotic ways San Gabriel Valley residents can commemorate the day:

The largest area festival takes place at the Rose Bowl in Pasadena and is known as AmericaFest. The festival starts outside the stadium at 2 p.m. At 7 p.m. the crowd inside the stadium is treated to motorcycle stunts and the Beatle tribute band known as "Liverpool Legend, Beatle Experience."

Tickets range from $17 to $34. Please call (626) 577-3100 or log onto www.rosebowlstadium.com/events for more information.

In Sierra Madre, you can attend the town`s annual Fourth of July parade and see all the festivities – such as being squirted with water and watching the aging lone belly dancer make her way down the street – all while showing your colors are red, white and blue.

The parade features community members, classic cars, marching band, kids on decorated bikes and

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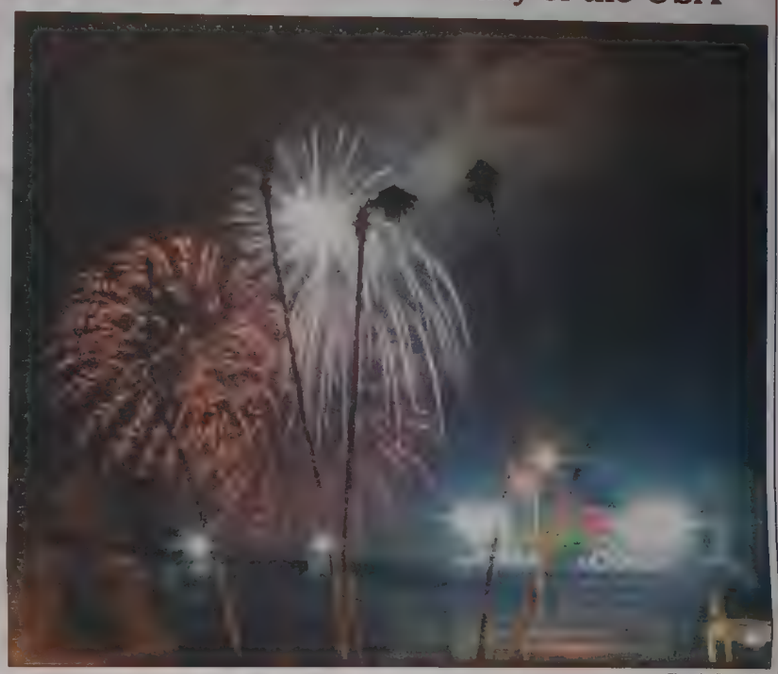

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Sierra Madre discusses more water restrictions

BY SHEL SEGAL

The Sierra Madre City Council is currently discussing whether it should us more restrictive water-use policies, according to a published report.

This comes as the drought throughout the state has forced the city to buy water – which can brown in some parts of the city – from the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, officials said.

In addition, the city might lose access to this newly gained water supply in 2015, official said.

Last October, the city council stopped drawing water from its wells and began buying water from MWD in an effort to save some of the water supply in the East Raymond

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Arcadia Museum Education Center dedicated

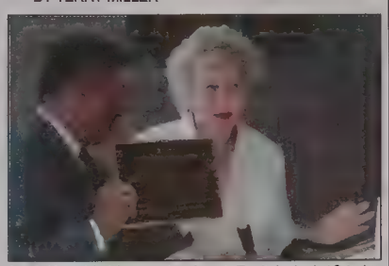
BY TERRY MILLER

A five-year project from concept to completion, the 2,500 square foot Arcadia History Museum Education center was officially dedicated last Saturday, June 28th, with appropriate fanfare, speeches, and accolades.

Long a dream of Arcadia`s first female mayor Floretta Lauber, the Museum Education Center will fill a void in the museum`s ability to bring in guest lecturers on various subjects of interest to Arcadia specifically.

The Museum Foundation was the founding sponsor and donated $500,000.00 to the City of Arcadia towards the cost of the building.

Mayor John Wuo presented an obviously emotional Floretta Lauber with a special commemoration which thanks her for her tireless efforts these past five years in spearheading the project. The plaque will be placed on a wall in the Education Center.



Arcadia Mayor John Wuo presents a plaque to Floretta Lauber last Saturday.
-Photo by Terry Miller

The overflow crowd was treated to a ribbon cutting ceremony followed by a special desserts buffet reception, which was presented by the Friends of the Museum. The mayor and city council members, plus many community members, including numerous former mayors, enjoyed tours of the building. For more information, please call the Museum at (626)574-5468.

Arcadia Firefighter died from fall, coroner says

Ventura County Sheriff`s Department announced last Friday that Arcadia Fire Department Firefighter/Paramedic Mike Herdman`s body was found and recovered last Friday morning in rugged terrain approximately 1200 feet above the Sespe River outside of Fillmore.

Herdman died instantly after falling from a cliff in the Sespe Wilderness of the Los Padres National Forest, the Ventura County Medical Examiner`s Office disclosed Tuesday morning.

Herdman was dead for at least a few days and his injuries were "consistent with a significant fall," according to Chief Deputy Medical Examiner Armando Chavez.

Herdman's body was spotted by a helicopter

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Crews are currently constructing grade crossing improvements on Mountain Ave in phases at Duarte Rd, as part of the 11.5-mile Metro Gold Line Foothill Extension light rail project. The first phase of work requires a full closure of Mountain Ave from the center of Duarte Rd north from early May through October 2014. All businesses in the area are open. For questions, please call (626) 324-7098 or visit www.foothillgoldline.org.

SEASON OPENS THIS WEEKEND

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July 26 at Santa Anita Race Track
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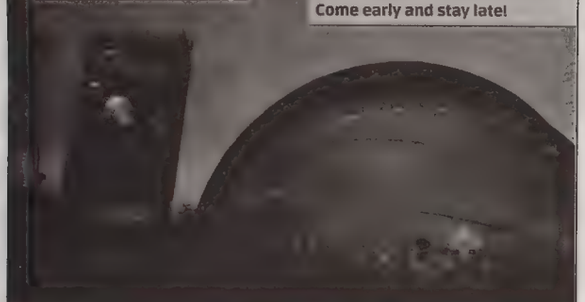

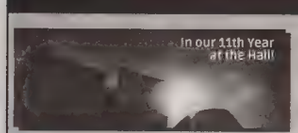

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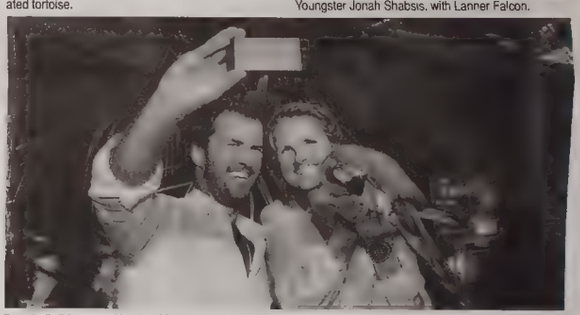
Beastly Ball raises over $1 Million

Actress Pauley Perrette (last year's Tom Mankiewicz Leadership Award recipient) makes friends with a radiated tortoise.

Youngster Jonah Shabsis. with Lanner Falcon.



Beastly Ball honoree Heather Mycoskie and her husband, Blake are joined for a "selfie" by an LA Zoo macaw named Oscar. *-Courtesy Photos*

More than $1.1 million was raised at the 44th Annual Greater Los Angeles Zoo Association (GLAZA) Beastly Ball at the Zoo on the evening of June 14th. Guests, numbering nearly 800, included actresses Pauley Perrette and Valerie Bertinelli, Mayor Eric Garcetti with wife Amy Wakeland plus parents Gil and Sukey, and GLAZA Co-Chairman Betty White, whose live auction donation featuring a backstage Zoo tour led by the iconic star netted a record breaking $55,000. GLAZA President Connie Morgan and Los Angeles Zoo Director John Lewis bestowed awards on honoree Heather Mycoskie of TOMS shoes, a passionate animal advocate, and Tom Mankiewicz Leadership Award recipient Ken Ziffren, the veteran entertainment attorney. Also celebrated, in keeping with the Zoo`s leadership role in the preservation of endangered species and a conservation center for the care and study of wildlife, was the 50th anniversary of the ICUN Red List of Threatened Species. IUCN (International Union for Conservation of Nature) was represented at the Beastly Ball by Russell Mittermeier, Lifetime Honorary IUCN Species Survival Commission; and GLAZA Trustee Richard Sneider, IUCN Global Chair, . Freshwater Fish Specialist Group. Beastly Ball guests wore casual and "safari" attire as they strolled through the Zoo observing its inhabitants, watching animal feedings, chatting with keepers, viewing small animals up close, and enjoying entertainment, dancing and cuisine from some of L.A.`s iconic restaurants. Comedian Jimmy Pardo oversaw the program with his signature humor as MC and live auctioneer. The private, non-profit Greater Los Angeles Zoo Association (GLAZA) has supported the Zoo for more than five decades, providing funding for exhibits, conservation, capital projects, and outreach programs as well as building endowment funds and operating six essential Zoo departments.

The Social Whirl

Three performances added by popular demand

To accommodate the overflow of requests for seats, three performances of "Cold Tangerines: The Play" have been added in July.

Author Shauna Niequist has amassed a passionate and devoted national following for her best-seeking books "Bread & Wine", "Bittersweet" and "Cold Tangerines". The latter is the basis for the new play at Fremont Centre Theatre.

"Cold Tangerines: The Play" invites the audience into the lives of its four female characters: Shea is an aspiring writer and yearns for a life with greater depth. She is a perfectionist and that is a limitation; she will achieve more by being present rather than by being perfect. Anna is a wife and mother; her embracing of these roles will free her to fulfill the other areas of life in which she aspires to achieve. Nadia has issues with her body and self-worth; she has the furthest to travel to realize her goals, which may make their ultimate attainment all the more sweet. Shea, Anna and Nadia are actually facets of writer Shauna that emerge as she pursues her craft. As she acquires the courage to put pen to paper, she achieves a healing that enables her to align with the other segments of herself in balance and harmony. The new whole will be greater than the sum of its parts.

The four (?) women both celebrate the joys and endure the heartaches of everyday existence, and live through both the broken and the beautiful moments of life.

Given Niequist`s background, faith and God are part of the mix, but the theological elements are never laid on with a heavy hand, so that the not-so-spiritually inclined are in no danger of being turned off by the proceedings.

Playwright Lynn Downey Braswell has adapted Niequist`s book for the stage. A graduate of Ball State University, she is a founding member of Monkey Butler/Mosaic Comedy and creator and host of the cooking show "Can Do Kitchen".

Karissa McKinney directs. A graduate of NYU Tisch School of the Arts, she also trained with Playwrights Horizon in New York.

"Cold Tangerines: The Play" is double-cast. The Thursday/Saturday cast consists of Lynn Downey Braswell, Betsy Roth, Kira Shea and Susannah Hicks. The Friday/Sunday cast is Lynn Downey Braswell, Emily Greco, Abby Lynn and Aliza Pearl.

Producer: Betsy Roth, Co-producers: Lynn Downey Braswell and Karissa McKinney. Stage Manager: Amanda Celine Miller.

Previously, Little Candle Productions has presented "The Innocence of Father Brown" (at Fremont Centre Theatre) and "The Winter`s Tale".

Women will identify with and adore "Cold Tangerines: The Play". If smart, boyfriends and husbands will accompany them. Beyond gaining insights into their mates, they will also be well-entertained.

"COLD TANGERINES: THE PLAY" World Premiere engagement of a new comedy/drama.

Adapted for the stage by Lynn Downey Braswell, Based on the book by Shauna Niequist. Directed by Karissa McKinney. Presented by Little Candle Productions.

Fremont Centre Theatre, 1000 Fremont Ave. (at El Centro), South Pasadena, Ca. 91030. Ample free parking behind theatre.

Now through June 29, 2014, then July 11-13. Thurs-Sat. at 8:00, Sun. at 2:00

$25. Students and seniors $20.

Call toll-free (866) 811-4111 or please visit www.fremontcenretheatre.com for further information.

Museum Education Center to be dedicated June 28

A five year project from concept to completion, the attractive 2500 square foot building will be dedicated June 28th. The Arcadia Museum Foundation is the founding sponsor and donated $500,000.00 to the City of Arcadia towards the building.

The Ribbon Cutting Ceremony will take place Saturday afternoon at 2:00 p.m., followed by a special Desserts Buffet Reception, presented by the Friends of the Museum. The Mayor and Council members plus many community VIPs will be attending. The public is invited; tours of the multi-purpose building will be available.

For more information: please call the Museum at 626/574-5468.

Here is something for everybody

The City of Arcadia Recreation & Community Services Department—Senior Services Division is offering summer classes for adults (50 years of age and older) beginning Monday, July 7th. The course offerings include oil and watercolor painting, yoga, strength training, line dancing, tai chi, Zumba gold and aerobics. Registration is currently open online at www.ci.arcadia.ca.us, walk-in, fax-in, mail-in or in person at the Arcadia Community Center. Courses are offered at the Community Center, 365 Campus Drive and the new gymnasium located at Dana Middle School, 1401 S. First Avenue.

For specifics on class dates, times and locations, please contact Arcadia Senior Services at 626/574-5130 or log onto the City of Arcadia website at www.ci.arcadia.ca.us.

Arcadia Altrusa International

Fifty-Second Anniversary Charter Dinner and Installation of Officers.

The following officers will be installed on June 24th at Embassy Suites Hotel, 6:30 p.m. President: Mickey Ball, Vice President: Ruth Gilb, Secretary: Barbara Lampman, Treasurer: Nancy Ely, Directors: Terri Weeks 2014-2015, Audrey Mitchell 2014-2016

Reservations are required if you wish to attend. Please call Terri Weeks (626) 3549-2162. Guests are welcome.

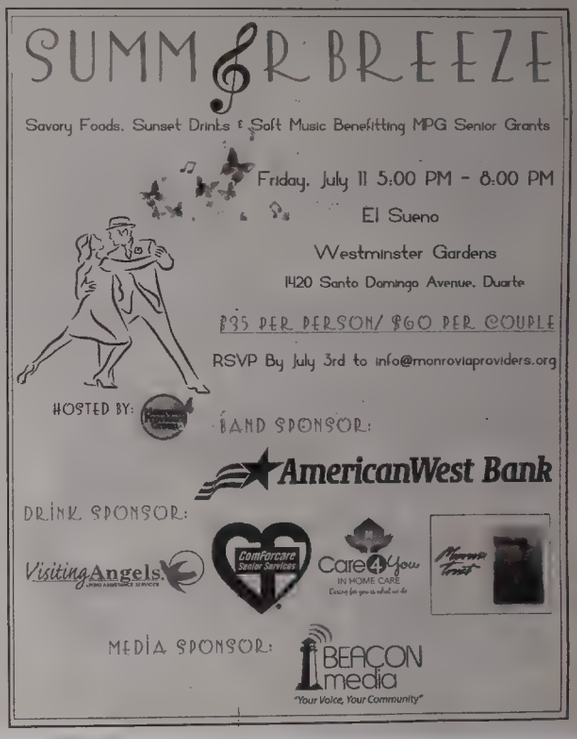
Arcadia Women's Club

Arcadia Women's Club officers for 2014-2015 were installed June 4th at a Gala Tea celebrating their 100 years Anniversary. Installing officer was San Gabriel Valley District President Mavis Hansen. Members installed in the Flowers and Candles Ceremony were: L-R President at end Cheryl Alberg—Carol Anne Donahey—Floretta Lauber—Roberta Armijo--Mickey Ball—Barbara Lapman—Mable Fenoglio—Donna Osgood—Valerie Kates—Cynthia Aguilar and Linda Mokler at the end. Plans for their membership Champagne Brunch, September 17th are completed. Interested women are invited to attend. Call (626) 355-6945 or (626) 287-2831 for information.

Laguna Arts Pageant of the Masters

Come celebrate one of the most talked about highlights of the summer! Join the Arcadia Recreation and Community Services Department for an adult excursion to this fantastic annual event in Laguna Beach on Friday, August 22nd. Historic paintings come to life in this magnificent display of art. In 2014 the Pageant of the Masters, themed The Art Detective, will reveal how lost treasures were discovered, where crimes of passion were uncovered (or covered up) and how creative riddles were unraveled, with a gallery of the world`s great masterpieces providing the clues. As a Pageant patron, you`ll be admitted to The Festival of Arts—California Premier Fine Art Show, absolutely free all summer long! Simply show your Pageant ticket at the Festival`s front gate. You`ll enjoy stunning artwork, hands-on demonstrations, wine tasting, and much more. Come back again and again.

The trip fee of $65 includes pageant admission, round trip transportation in an air conditioned coach buss and snacks. Please arrive at 5pm, the bus leaves promptly at 5:30 p.m. from the Arcadia Community Center, 365 Campus Drive, Arcadia, Ca. 91007, and returns at midnight! For more questions, please contact the Recreation Office at 626/574-5113.



The Social Whirl

BY FLORETTA LAUBER

Please Send Your Social Announcements and Invitations to Floretta Lauber at:
socialwhirl@beaconmedianews.com

Two exciting shows reopen the Carrie Hamilton Theatre in Repertory

Special offer from The Pasadena Playhouse. All Tickets $15* Use Code: CHT15

5 Shows Only! ENTERSHAMEMENT starring Amy G, May 22-30, 2014

In Entershamement, Amy G`s inimitable brand of physical/musical comedy makes light of dark thoughts. Realizing how regularly shame prevents us from enjoying ourselves, she decides to attack. To make fun of the monster in the mirror, she dissects her own face-saving masks first, and then turns the questions back to the crowd. Does the face even need saving? Entershamement is slapstick diva heaven, full of ridiculous song-and-dance numbers, roller skates, a chicken, and genuine human frailty.

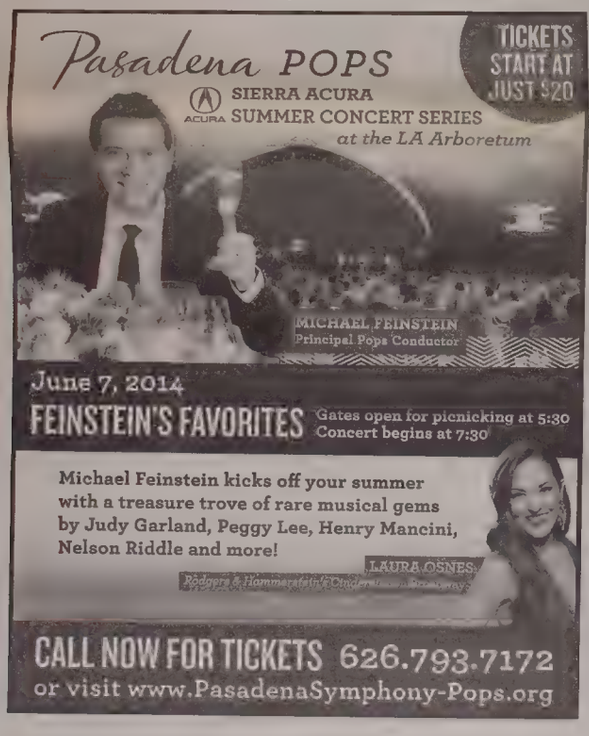
1 Night Only!

IN MY CORNER, Starring Joe Orrach, May 31, 2014, at 8:00 p.m.

With IN MY CORNER, Orrach has put together a high-powered evening of drama, music and movement. The show tells the autobiographical tale of a Puerto Rican/Italian kid growing up in a family dominated by a violent ex-boxer father. His coming-of age story is one in which he makes his way out of chaos and violence through his discovery of dance, Orrach`s fast-paced narrative riffs shift seamlessly into boxing sequences and driving tap numbers, accompanied by the music of a jazz ensemble.

Tickets are now available at the Box Office, online at PasadenaPlayhouse.org or call626/356-7529

*Code CHT 15 is valid for $15 tickets to all performances of ENTERSHAMEMENT and/or IN MY CORNER. Offer expires May 31st, 2014 at 8:00 p.m. Discount is available on all seats. All seats are General Admission. All tickets are subject to availability. Service charges and theatre restoration fee apply to all orders.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Concert begins at 7:30
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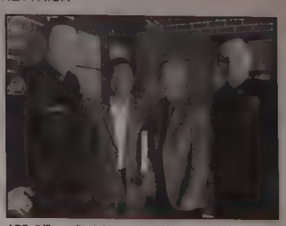
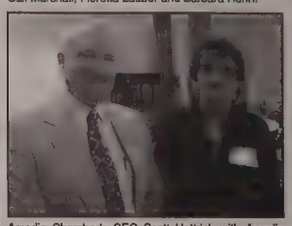
Woman's Club Centennial: SWAT

BY SCOTT HETTRICK

Guest at Women's Club 100 year Civic Day Celebration. Arcadia's former female Mayors L-R Mary Young, Gail Marshall, Floretta Lauber and Barbara Huhn.



APD Officers flank Mayor John Wuo and AUSD superintendant Joel Shawn.



Arcadia Chamber's CEO Scott Hettrick with Arcadia Woman's Club President Cheryl Alberg.

Seated Centennial Lunch L-R new council members Sho Tay and Tom Beck, standing councilman Roger Chandler a former Mayor and re-elected in April.

The Arcadia Women`s Club celebrated its centennial May 7th at their monthly lunch meeting that featured 45 VIP guests that represented a Who`s Who in Arcadia, starting with Mayor John Wuo and every City Council Member.

Woman`s Club President Cheryl Alberg welcomed guests to the iconic Woman`s Club building which was elegantly decorated for the occasion.

Mayor Wuo was just one of numerous former Mayors of Arcadia including what is perhaps an unprecedented assemblage of all 4 former women Mayors. One of those was Floretta Lauber, who was also the chairman of the Centennial program, impressed many by introducing each dignitary`s name and title by memory. In planning the program for the Centennial lunch, Lauber sought to re-create an explosive celebratory lunch program in the 1970s that featured some dramatic police demonstrations. Chief Guthrie complied by having some of his officers present a mock terrorist act amongst the lunch attendees.

The Woman`s Club has been instrumental in the formation of many longtime Arcadia institutions and organizations, including introducing the community`s first public library and first float in the Tournament of Roses Parade, and also supported American soldiers by serving meals as far back as World War I.

A commemorative program summarized highlights of the organization`s first century. (A free exhibit about the Woman`s Club of Arcadia is on display at the Gilb Museum of Arcadia Heritage through May 31st.)

Arcadia Police Chief Robert Guthrie and Sgt. Brian Ortiz presented a fascinating oral history of the police department during the lunch. Members of the SWAT team were set up in front of the building to show and demonstrate some of their equipment.

How to identify, research and document your historic property—walk, look & listen with Pasadena heritage

For our last event in celebration of National Preservation Month, Pasadena Heritage is hosting a seminar on How to identify, Research and Document Your Historic Property, on Saturday, May 31st, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Altadena Community Church.

Whether you have a historic property, are interested in learning how to conduct research, or are looking to explore the architectural history of Pasadena this event will inform and inspire a passion for preservation. You will learn not only the basics of architecture in Pasadena but discover how to dive into the archives and uncover history yourself. Pasadena Heritage will provide practical advice and answer your questions by bringing together experts in the fields of Architecture and Historic Preservation. Come to listen, stay to look, and leave ready to walk into the past.

Tickets may also be purchased on Saturday morning prior to the seminar, at the Altadena Community Church: 943 E. Altadena Drive, Altadena, Ca. 91001 (on the north side of the street next to the Chevron gas station just off of Lake Ave.)

Meeting Date & Time: June 10, 2014 at 7:00 P.M.

Arcadia City Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
BEFORE THE ARCADIA CITY COUNCIL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2014, at 7:00 p.m. in the Arcadia City Hall Council Chamber, 240 West Huntington Drive, Arcadia, California, a public hearing will be held by and before the City Council on the PROPOSED OPERATING BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015.

At said time and place an opportunity will be afforded all those interested and the public in general to be heard

A Copy of the proposed budget shall be available for inspection by the public in the Office of the City Clerk Monday through Thursday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and alternate Fridays from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m and on the City's website www.ci.arcadia.ca.us, at least (10) days prior to the date of said hearing.

Below is a summary by fund of the proposed fiscal year 2014-2015 budget.

CITY OF ARCADIA – SUMMARY BY FUND FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015 PROPOSED BUDGET

	SOURCES OF FUNDS				USES OF FUNDS				
Fund	Beginning Fund FY14-15	Outside Sources	Transfer In	Total	Appropriation	Transfer Out	Total	Ending Fund Balance FY14-15
General Fund	8,381,000	51,375,500	8,884,800	52,541,300	53,863,700	3,062,800	56,669,300	8,383,000
Narcotic Seizure Federal	891,400	16,000	0	609,400	51,100	0	51,100	558,300
COPS	398,000	161,300	0	559,300	134,400	0	134,400	224,900
Local Law Enforcement	0	78,800	110,200	189,200	189,200	0	189,200	0
Medical/Dental	126,100	0	3,631,000	3,756,100	3,637,000	0	3,637,000	119,100
IRS Task Force	172,400	10,000	0	182,400	10,000	0	10,000	172,400
Worker Compensation/Liability	981,000	594,900	2,466,300	3,567,100	2,385,200	0	2,385,200	1,601,000
Homeland Security	0	10,000	0	10,000	10,000	0	10,000	0
State Library Grant	52,500	300	0	52,800	21,000	0	21,000	31,800
Misc. P.E.R.S. Employee Retirement Fund	2,733,300	0	0	2,733,300	0	0	0	2,733,300
Emergency Reserve	(6,236,080)	0	0	10,286,080	0	0	0	10,286,080
Parks & Recreation	3,868,100	3,018,300	0	5,887,400	5,100	0	5,100	5,882,300
Traffic Safety	0	270,000	0	270,000	270,000	0	270,000	0
State Gas Tax	1,097,400	491,300	0	1,588,700	383,500	105,600	489,100	1,099,600
Air Quality Management District	351,800	1,426,800	0	1,778,300	1,669,500	0	1,669,500	108,800
Community Development Block Grant	77,700	68,400	0	146,100	110,200	0	110,200	35,900
Santa Anita Grade Separation	0	436,500	0	436,500	436,500	0	436,500	0
Transit	1,262,800	1,653,100	0	2,915,700	2,379,700	0	2,379,700	536,000
Proposition A	0	870,330	953,970	1,824,300	1,824,000	0	1,824,000	0
Measure R	644,200	999,000	0	1,643,200	786,000	0	786,000	857,200
Transportation Impact Fund	447,800	630,800	0	1,077,340	439,170	0	439,170	1,438,970
Proposition C	870,400	830,400	0	1,700,800	867,400	0	867,400	315,100
TDA Article 3 Bikeway	0	100,000	0	100,000	1,099,800	0	1,099,800	897,300
Capital Improvement	4,387,600	2,555,800	0	6,454,000	50,000	0	50,000	50,000
Lighting Maintenance	91,300	482,300	723,400	1,297,000	2,378,400	0	2,378,400	4,085,800
Parking Districts	18,000	300	0	18,300	1,295,700	0	1,295,700	91,500
Kaitlyn Place Landscaping District	0	2,800	0	2,800	15,800	0	15,800	3,400
Water Fund	30,899,500	19,741,600	0	41,631,100	2,600	0	2,600	0
Sewer Fund	2,444,800	1,259,700	0	3,704,800	16,194,300	0	16,194,300	25,436,800
Equipment Replacement	6,181,900	960,900	0	7,142,800	1,327,800	0	1,327,800	2,376,800
Redevelopment Successor Agency	0	2,782,100	0	2,782,100	2,218,600	0	2,218,600	4,824,300
General Obligation Bond 2012	305,500	411,900	0	716,400	411,900	0	411,900	305,500
General Obligation Bond 2011	292,600	598,400	0	991,000	685,400	0	685,400	292,600
Total	75,121,030	81,647,730	13,469,370	170,178,120	96,515,770	3,199,200	99,714,970	79,463,150

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
BEFORE THE ARCADIA CITY COUNCIL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2014 at 7:00 p.m., in the Arcadia City Hall Council Chamber, 240 West Huntington Drive, Arcadia, California, a public hearing will be held by and before the City Council on the FIVE-YEAR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (CIP) 2014-2015 THROUGH 2018-19.

At said time and place an opportunity will be afforded all those interested and the public in general to be heard.

A Copy of the proposed budget shall be available for inspection by the public in the office of the City Clerk, Monday through Thursday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and alternate Fridays from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on the City's website www.ci.arcadia.ca.us, at least ten (10) days prior to the date of said hearing.

Below is a summary by fund of the proposed Five-Year Capital Improvement Program (CIP) 2014-15 through 2018-19.

CITY OF ARCADIA
SUMMARY OF PROPOSED FIVE YEAR CAPITAL PROGRAMS
FISCAL YEAR 2014-15 THROUGH 2018-19

	ESTIMATED FUNDS 7/1/2014	ESTIMATED FIVE-YEAR REVENUE	PROPOSED FIVE-YEAR EXPENDITURE	ESTIMATED FUNDS 6/30/2019
CAPITAL OUTLAY FUND	4,397,500	5,639,700	(7,877,100)	2,160,100
GAS TAX FUND	351,800	7,127,100	(8,052,300)	(573,400)
PARKS AND RECREATION FUND	3,868,100	7,785,800	(25,500)	11,628,400
PROP C FUND	870,400	4,142,100	(4,475,400)	537,100
TRANSPORTATION IMPACT FUND	447,800	1,345,300	(867,400)	925,500
SEWER FUND	2,444,900	6,509,300	(8,121,300)	832,900
EQUIPMENT FUND	6,181,900	1,927,300	(8,866,500)	(757,300)
WATER FACILITY RESERVE	24,305,275	528 900	(10 697,200)	14,136,975
WATER EQUIPMENT RESERVE	1,652,325	33,000	(783,800)	901,725

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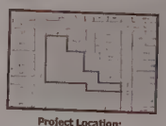

Project Location:
550 S. Second Ave
APN: 5779-008-024
5779-008-056

Contact Information:
Project Planner:
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City of Arcadia
Planning Services
240 W. Huntington Drive
P.O. Box 60021
Arcadia, CA 91066

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held for the project described below. The project includes the following:

A. **Categorical Exemption per Section 15332 of the California Environmental Quality Act;**
B. **Tentative Tract Map No. TTM 72869;**
C. **Multiple-Family Architectural Design Review No. MFADR 13-44; and**
D. **Oak Tree Encroachment Permit No. TRE 13-71**

Project Description: A proposal for a 20-unit residential condominium development requiring approval of a Tentative Tract Map, Architectural Design Review, and an Oak Tree Encroachment Permit for construction within the protected area of four oak trees.

Applicant: Samyao International, Inc.

Hearing Date and Time: Tuesday, June 10, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

Place of Hearing: Arcadia City Council Chambers
240 W. Huntington Drive, Arcadia, CA

Persons wishing to comment on the project and/or environmental documents may do so at the public hearing or by submitting written statements to Planning Services prior to the June 10, 2014 hearing. City Hall will be closed on Friday, May 30 2014

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Probate Notices

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMIN-ISTER ESTATE OF ROBERT M. VARGAS
Case No. BP152241

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of ROBERT M. VARGAS

A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Catherine L. McKenzie in the Superior Court of California, County of LOS ANGE-LES.

THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that Catherine L. McKenzie be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on June 17, 2014 at 8:30AM in Dept. No 11 located at 111 N. Hill St., Los Angeles, CA 90012

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code.

Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Petitioner: Catherine L. McKenzie
CATHERINE L MCKENZIE
5530 ACKERFIELD
LOS ANGELES CA 90805

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Public Notices

SUMMONS-UNIFORM PARENTAGE-PETITION FOR CUSTODY AND SUP-PORT CITACION JUDICIAL-DERECHO DE FAMILIA NOTICE TO RESPONDENT (Name) AVISO AL DEMANDADO (Nom-bre) Bailu Chen You are being sued A usted le estan demandando PETITIONER'S NAME IS EL NOMBRE DEL DEMAN-DANTE ES Qiwei Zhang CASE NUMBER (Numero de Caso) GD054746 You have 30 Calendar days after this Summons and Petition are served on you to file a Response to Petition to Establish Parental Relationship (form FL-220) or Response to Petition for Custody and Support of Minor Children (form FI-270) at the court and serve a copy on the petitioner A letter or phone call will not protect you If you do not file your Response on time the court may make orders affecting custody of your children You may be ordered to pay support and attorney fees and costs If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the clerk for a fee waiver form If you want lega advice contact a lawyer immediately Usted tiene 30 dias calendanos despues de recibir oficialmente esta citacion judicial y peticion para completar y presentar su formulario de Respuesta (Response form FL-220) ante la corte Una carta o una llamada telefon ca no le ofrecerá protección Si usted no presenta su Respuesta a tiempo la corte puede expedir ordenes que afecten a custodia de sus hijos ordenen que usted pague manutención honoranos de abogado y las costas Si no puede pagar las costas por la presentación de la demanda, pida al ioluano de la corte que le dé un formulano de exoneración de las mismas (Waiver of court Fees and Costs). Si desea obtener consejo legal, comuniquese de inmediato con un abogado NOTICE The restraining order on the back is effective against both mother and father until the petition is dismissed, a judgment is entered, or the court makes further orders. This order is enforceable anywhere in California by any law enforcement officer who has received or seen a copy of it. AVISO Las prohibiciones judiciales que aparecen al reverso de esta citación son efectivas para ambos cónyuges, madre el esposo como la esposa hasta que la petición sea rechazada, se dicte una decis ón final o la corte expida instrucciones adicionales. Dichas prohibiciones pueden haoerse cumplir en cualquier parte de California por cualquier agente del Orden público que las haya recibido o que haya visto una copia de ellas. The name and address of the court is (El nombre y dirección de la corte es): LASC, 300 E. Walnut St., Pasadena, Ca 91107 The name, address, and telephone number of petitioner's attorney, or the petitioner without an attorney, is (El nombre, dirección y número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante si no tiene abogado, es): Qiwei Zhang, 6362 Trefaey Ave, Temple City, Ca 91780 626-757-5865 DATE (FECHA). May 16 2014 CLERK (Acluano), by L.Farrow , Deputy STANDARD RESTRAINING ORDER-SUMMONS Uniform Parentage Act, Petition for Custody STANDARD RESTRAINING ORDER You and the other party are restrained from removing from the state the minor child or children for whom this action seeks to establish a parent-child relationship without the pnor written consent of the other party or an order of the court. This restraining order is effective against petitioner upon filing a petition and against respondent on personal service of the summons and petition or on waiver and acceptance of service by respondent This restraining order is effective until the judgment is entered, the petition is dismissed, or the court makes a further order This order is enforceable anywhere in California by any law enforcement officer who has received or seen a copy of it. PROHIBICIONES JU-DICIALES ESTANDARES A partir de este momento a usted y a a otra parte se es prohibe que saquen del estado al hijo o hijos menores de las partes para quieres esta acción judicial procura establecer una relacion entre hijo y padres, sin e consentimiento previo por escrito de la otra parte o sin una orden de la corte Esta prohibicion judicial entrará en vigencia para el demandante una vez presentada la petición, y para el demandado una vez que éste reciba la notificacion personal de la citación judicial y petición, o una vez que renuncie su derecho a recibir dicha notificación y se dé por notificado Esta prohibicion judicial continuará en vigencia hasta que se dicte la decisión final la petición sea rechazada o la corte expida instrucciones adiciona es Podrán hacerse cumplir en cualquier parte de California por cualquier agente del orden público que las haya recibido o que haya visto una copia de e las
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TEMPLE CITY TRIBUNE

NOTICE OF LIEN SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY given San Dimas Lock-Up Self Storage in City of San Dimas intends to sell Personal Property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to Sections 21700-21715 of the Business & Profess ons Code Section 2328 of the UCC Section 535 of the Penal Code and provisions of Civil Code

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE AND OF INTENTION TO TRANSFER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE
(U.C.C. 6101 et seq. and 6 & P 24073 et seq.)
Escrow No. 84179-SD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bulk sale of assets and a transfer of alcoholic beverage license is about to be made. The names and addresses of the Seller/Licensee are
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The Social Whirl

BY FLORETTA LAUBER

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Mardi Gras 2014 breaks records

Congratulations..... With an all time high of 875 in attendance, Methodist Hospital`s 19th annual Mardi Gras also raised a record breaking $144,000 to benefit the hospital`s important cancer program.

This year`s event was the most profitable ever, with 37 of the area`s top restaurants providing delicious fare at Sirona`s in beautiful Santa Anita Park on March 4. Restaurants included Benihana, Celestino`s Ristorante & Bar, Hai Diu Lao Hotpot, Green Street Restaurant, La Luna Negara, Matt Denny`s , Sena on Myrtle and Toro Sushi and Bar, just to name a few.

California 1980s tribute band The 80z All Stars, provided lively music for dancing and entertainment. The annual Mardi Gras parade featured the King of Mardi Gras, former Methodist Hospital chief of staff and foundations board member Dr. James. Lin.

Methodist Hospital President and CEO Dan Ausman recognized Dr. Lin for his longtime support of Methodist Hospital and the outstanding clinical care he has provided to thousands of patients. Also, a special commendation was presented by a representative of Supervisor Michael Antonovich.

"I feel extremely honored, and I want to continue helping the foundation raise funds for the cancer program, which is one of the clinical areas the hospi tal strives diligently to expand and strengthen," Dr. Lin said. "It`s important that we remain competitive and on the cutting edge, and Mardi Gras helps us do just that."

Other fun activities of the night included a silent auction and a raffle. Winner of the $1,000 drawing was Robert Bray, a Methodist Hospital employee.

Much of the huge success of the event can be attributed to Mardi Gras co-chairs Sherry Wang, Methodist Hospital Foundation board member and two-time chair; longtime hospital supporter Patty Soldo, who also chaired for the second time; and four-time chair/co-chair Lindburgh McPherson. Of course, the co-chairs depended heavily on the hard work of their volunteer committee as well. Foundation President Michael Driebe thanked the co-chairs and presented special tokens of appreciation.

The Mardi Gras co-chairs expressed their grateful appreciation of the many sp9nsors who helped make the event a success as well.

Mardi Gras Committee: Front Row from left: Co-Chair Patty Soldo, Mardi Gras King Dr. James Y. Lin, Jan McEachern, Joanne and Bruce McCallum. Middle row: Barbara Lyle, Evelyn Greathouse, Co-Chair Sherry Wang and Sherri Taylor. Back row: Ada Wong, Clara Howard, Devin DeLozier, Deb Wilkie, Co-Chair Lindburgh McPherson, Cheryl Wolf, Debbie Harvey, Janet Hanson, Sho Tay, Gloria Rico. *-Courtesy Photo*

Foundation Board Member Paul Bigley, Mary Bigley and hospital board member Mike Hoover enjoy the festivities. *-Courtesy Photo*

Methodist Hospital Chief Strategy Officer Cliff Daniels, hospital board chair Kathy Ellison and Dr. K. Heiner Vogelbach at the Mardi Gras party. *-Courtesy Photo*

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California Bears play on the Arcadia County Park Lawn Bowling Greens

Sunday, March 16th saw the lawn bowling ladies from around the southland assemble to do battle for the "California Bears" Trophy. There were eight teams of four ladies. The competition runs rather weirdly for those that aren't familiar with lawn bowling. You have four ladies against four ladies. That's a game called "Rinks" or "Fours." That means each bowler only has two bowls to use in the game. They play fourteen ends. When all the bowlers have bowled their bowls, that is called an "End." In Sunday's games they played fourteen ends per game.

After the "Rinks" game ended they all had lunch. Had a few minutes to relax then it was time for the second game. This time they split up to take on the other competitors. There was a "Singles" game (one against one),where each bowler had four bowls to use. and the other three team members played a game of "Triples." These ladies only had three bowls each.

After that game the host club served everyone ice cream. Gayle Plunkett, Vice President of the Santa Anita Bowling Green Club was hostess for the event.

It was a rather warm day in Arcadia, and the ice cream was a welcome treat. When the brain freezes subsided, the ladies were back on the greens again, playing.....

"Pairs" pitting two agains two, for fourteen ends. This was the final game of the day. The bowlers started at 9:00 AM, and now it was after 5:00 PM.

That's a full 8 hours of bowling, more or less. When the final game was over and the ladies went to the clubhouse to cool off, Izzie Forbes, the Tournament Director had the wins and losses figured up and the winners were the ladies from Newport Harbor Lawn Bowling Club. They were: Kottia Spangler, Ann Nunes, Dee McSparran and Eva Lee. Each lady received a square base with a California Brown bear on the top. With four plaques from 2010 through 2013. Now the oldest plaque will be replaced with the newest winners.

Next year they will bring those trophies back for the next California Bears Tournament. They competed against Riverside Lawn Bowling Club, Long Beach LBC, San Diego LBC, Long Beach LBC, Santa Barbara LBC, Hemet LBC and next year they will run into the same ladies hunting that elusive Brown Bear Trophy.

Santa Anita BGC did not have any entries in this years Tournament. Our best lady bowler, Margi Rambo is with the USA Team in China for the "Tiger Bowls Tournament. They are doing quite well at the time of this writing, winning most of their games. After the "Tiger Bowls" another tournament in China and then its back home. Hopefully with lots of medals (Any color will do).

Lawn Bowling is an easy game to learn. All you need is the desire to learn, flat sole shoes, and an appointment for free lessons.

The club will provide the equipment and bowls and instruction. The rest is up to you. To find out more about the Santa Anita Bowling Green Club, go to their web site: www.lawnbowling-Arcadia.com and poke around and see what you can find. You can also go to the e-mail address: lawnbowling4u@yahoo.com. After you check it out, and want to take lessons, call Gene Plunkett at 626-351-5327. Ask questions and set up a time to get going in lawn bowling. It`s FREE. Since the cool season is upon us, there is evening bowling under the lights, and daytime bowling too.

Drop by and watch and ask questions on a Saturday morning at 9 AM.

There are lots of bowlers wanting to tell you all about this best kept secret the sporting world. Like the motto says: "Lawn bowling is happy times with good friends."

Sierra Madre accuses Arcadia of 'stealing water'

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East Raymond Basin," according to a published report.

Assistant city attorney for the city of Sierra Madre, Holly Whatley, said the east and west Raymond Basin was divided by the California Supreme Court way back in 1944, adding "the Raymond Basin Management Board must abide by the 70-year-old decision," according to the published report.

The city of Arcadia has built two wells in the last 13 years at a cost of $2.8 million – Anoakia Well in 2001 and Colorado Well in 2007, according to the published report.

The limits of each well fall in the East Raymond Basin, but it all depends who you ask as both Sierra Madre and Arcadia do not see eye to eye on where the boundary falls, according to the published report.

After hearing both sides` arguments and rebuttals on Thursday, the Raymond Basin Board of Directors said they would like to have a resolution to the problem on April 16, according to the published report.

Sierra Madre`s mayor and two of its council members attended the three-hour meeting with seven other supporters, while five people came in support of Arcadia`s side and no politicians were there, according to the published report.

During the meeting, Whatley said Arcadia should not be allowed to be taking out excess levels of water as that would do damage to the East Raymond Basin, according to the published report.

Couple this with the fact that the basin is already running low due to the drought, which could also hurt Sierra Madre`s future water supply, according to the published report.

An attorney Steve Anderson said the boundary that is being debated was just an arbitrary line as a 90-degree angle just to make things simple 70 years ago and it was "never intended to accurately depict the actual, physical sub-basin boundary," according to the published report.

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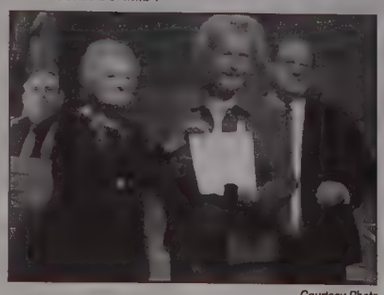
Floretta Lauber honored with Historic Preservation Award

BY JOAN SCHMIDT

Many Arcadians know Floretta Lauber as the FIRST female Mayor of the City; others recognize her as the great "Social Editor" for the Beacon Media News Corporation. However, Floretta wears another hat-a local historian who wishes to preserve and share Arcadia`s great history! At the recent Arcadia City Council Meeting, Floretta was honored with the "Daughters of the American Revolution Historic Preservation Award."



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Presenter was Santa Anita Chapter Regent, Mary Ann Williams. Mrs. Williams explained that the award was designed "to recognize worthy local individuals in all areas of historic preservation-buildings, landmarks, statues, cemeteries and memorials...The recipient is expected to contribute in an outstanding volunteer manner... Floretta Lauber has certainly fulfilled this obligation... her forward thinking, fundraising skills, and tireless energy have made the Gilb Historical Museum Education Center a reality... a hall for visiting speakers, classrooms for children`s field trips and arts and crafts...a multitude of education opportunities."

City Clerk Gene Glasco, also President of the Arcadia Historical Society presented Floretta with a beautiful plant in recognition of her "Daughters of the American Revolution Historic Preservation Award."

Not long ago, ground was broken for this Museum Education Center. This project was Floretta`s dream, and she has worked tirelessly to bring it to fruition. Residents of Arcadia should be proud of their first female Mayor and grateful for her vision of an Education Center at the Gilb Historical Museum.

At the Arcadia City Council Meeting, there also was a Presentation of gift certificates to City Staff from the Arcadia Chinese Association in appreciation of service. I would also like to "put in a plug" for this wonderful group. They made a much-needed donation to the friends of the Live Oak Library-the small library in the county area. During my twenty-five years of teaching I always used the Live Oak Library! Thank you to the Arcadia Chinese Association!

Other business at the Meeting included discussion on a Conditional Use permit, # CUP 13-12 for an existing religious facility and the use of a 2400 square tent for outdoor activities at 2607 Santa Anita Avenue.

This building is the Arcadia Congregational Church, and the "tent" is actually a "pavilion" with chandeliers. A resident whose home backs to the pavilion spoke of the unbearable noise when there are functions. The Pastor then spoke; a decibel meter has been placed to monitor the noise and she promised to "pull the plug" if the DJ/ Live Band does not abide by the limits.

I followed the concerned resident and Pastor out of the meeting. They were friendly and cordial to each other. It was gratifying to see two adults work out a problem in such a matter. Arcadia certainly joins Monrovia and Duarte as "My Kind of City".

The Pasadena Symphony and Pops and the City of Arcadia Present...

Random Acts of Music

A brass quintet from the Pasadena Symphony and Pops will be performing a variety of popular music including themes from television and film, jazz standards, and Broadway repertoire at the Arcadia Public Library on Saturday, March 8, 2014 at 2:00 p.m.

The quintet, made up of a tuba, trombone, trumpets, and French horn, will be delighting visitors outside the front entrance of the Library from 2-3 p.m.

For more information, please call 626.821.5566. The Arcadia Public Library is located at 20 W. Duarte Rd., Arcadia. The Library is open Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. and Friday and Saturday, 10:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. You can also follow the Library on Twitter and Facebook.

Do you have questions about Covered California?

Two certified representatives from the AHMC Health Foundation will be at the Norwood Library on Friday, March 6, 2014 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. to answer your questions about Covered California. They will also be able to refer people to certified enrollment counselors

The Norwood Library, 4550 N. Peck Rd. El Monte 91732 is part of the County of Los Angeles Public Library. For additional information, please contact Brenda Baldwin or Stephen Trumble at 626-443-3147 or visit the County Library web site at colapublib.org.

Public Hearing on Proposed Fare Changes

Metro Briefs

SAN GABRIEL VALLEY

Public Hearing on Proposed Fare Changes
To continue reliable service of LA County's expanding transportation network, Metro must consider gradually increasing fares. Metro's approach to changing fares would also increase transit access by including free transfers on a single fare paid with a TAP card. A public hearing to gather comments will be held on Saturday, March 29 at 9:30am at Metro Headquarters; sign up in person by 11:30am to speak at the hearing. More information at *metro.net/newfares*.

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Construction on the Metro Gold Line Foothill Extension is reaching the half-way mark, with a projected opening in 2016. The 11.5-mile extension will travel east from Pasadena with stops in Arcadia, Duarte, Irwindale, Monrovia and Azusa. More information available at *foothillextension.org*.

Regional Connector Gets $670 Million in Federal Funding
Top federal officials have awarded a $670 million grant and an additional $160 million in low-interest loans to the downtown Los Angeles Regional Connector Transit Project. The two-mile underground route will connect the Metro Blue, Gold and Expo Lines. Learn more at *metro.net/regionalconnector*.

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(UCC Sec. 6105) Escrow No. 602055

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bulk sale is about to be made The name(s) business address(es) to the Seller(s), are: Chakri Veranunt and Revadee Tan Veranunt, CTV Inc and Charlene Veranunt, 1311 S Baldwin Ave #A Arcadia CA 91007-7559

Doing Business as. Orchid Thai Cuisine (Type - Restaurant)

All other business name(s) and address(es) used by the Seller(s) within three years, as stated by the Seller(s), is/are None

The location in California of the Chief Executive Officer of the Seller(s) is None

The name(s) and address of the Buyer(s) is/are

CLO Food Inc. 1311 S Baldwin Ave #A, Arcadia, CA 91007-7559

The assets to be sold are described in general as Fixtures, equipment, leasehold improvements, goodwill and tradename and are located at: 1311 S. Baldwin Ave #A, Arcadia, CA 91007-7559

The bulk sale is intended to be consummated at the office of: Arch Escrow Corporation, 319 S. San Gabriel Blvd , San Gabriel, CA 91776 and the anticipated sale date is March 17, 2014.

The bulk sale is subject to California Uniform Commercial Code Section 6106.2. YES

[If the sale is subject to Sec. 6106.2, the following information must be provided] The name and address of the person with whom claims may be filed is: Arch Escrow Corporation, 319 S. San Gabriel Blvd., San Gabriel, CA 91776 and the last date for filing claims shall be March 14, 2014, which is the business day before the sale date specified above

Dated: 2/21/14
Buyer
CLO FOOD, INC
By Kevin Wang, President
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF BULK SALE
(UCC Sec. 6105) Escrow No. 602035

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Doing Business as: Pho Kitchen (Type - Restaurant)

All other business name(s) and address(es) used by the Seller(s) within the past three years, as stated by the Seller(s), is/are None

The location in California of the Chief Executive Officer of the Seller(s) is. None

The name(s) and address of the Buyer(s) is/are

Hoonoh Holdings Inc., 411 E Huntington Dr, Arcadia, CA 91006

The assets being sold are generally described as Fixtures, equipments, leasehold improvements, goodwill and tradename and are located at: 411 E. Huntington Dr., Arcadia, CA 91006

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By: S/ Chaughoon Oh, President
CNS-2593014#
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TS No 2013-2489 Order No. 01180-74787
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You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call FOR SALES INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL (714) 573-1965 or LOG ONTO or visit this Internet Web site WWW.priorityposting.com and use the file number assigned to this case 2013-2489. 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NOTICE OF TRUSTEES SALE Trustee Sale No. 75899CA Loan No 0701645731 Title Order No. 130192052 ATTENTION RECORDER THE FOLLOWING REFERENCE TO AN ATTACHED SUMMARY IS APPLICABLE TO THE NOTICE PROVIDED TO THE TRUSTOR ONLY PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE 2923.3 NOTE: THERE IS A SUMMARY OF THE INFORMATION IN THIS DOCUMENT ATTACHED YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 09-16-2005. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER On 03-06-2014 at 9:00 AM, ALAW as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust Recorded 10-13-2005, Book NA, Page NA, Instrument 05 2467829, and as modified by the Modification of Deed of Trust recorded on 01-27-2012, Book NA, Page NA, Instrument 20120154082 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of LOS ANGELES County, California, executed by: MARLENE ROBERTSON, A SINGLE WOMAN as Trustor, WASHINGTON MUTUAL BANK, FA, A FEDERAL ASSOCIATION as Beneficiary will sell at public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a cashier's check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association, or savings bank specified in section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. Sale will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to the Deed of Trust. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale Place of Sale: Doubletree Hotel Los Angeles-Norwalk 13111 Sycamore Drive Norwalk CA 90650 Legal Description: Legal Description is attached as Exhibit "A" Amount of unpaid balance and other charges: $2,282,991.53 (estimated) Street address and other common designation of the real property: 1120 DEODAR LANE BRADBURY CA 91010 APN Number: 8527-028-039 / 8527-028-027 / 8527-026-025 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any shown herein. The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". In compliance with California Civil Code 2923.5(c) the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent declared that it has contacted the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure or that it has made efforts to contact the borrower(s) to assess their financial situation and to explore options to avoid foreclosure by one of the following methods: by telephone by United States mail either 1st class or certified; by overnight delivery; by personal delivery; by e-mail, by face to face meeting DATE: 02-06-2014 ALAW, as Trustee BRENDA BATTEN, ASSISTANT SECRETARY ALAW 9200 OAKDALE AVE - 3RD FLOOR CHATSWORTH, CA 91311 (818)435-9661 For Sales Information: www.lpsasap.com or 1-714-730-2727 www.priorityposting.com or 1-714-573-1965 www.auction.com or 1-800-280-2832 ALAW IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. 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LPS Agency Sales and Posting at (714) 730-2727, or visit the Internet Web site www.lpsasap.com (Registration required to search for sale information) or Priority Posting and Publishing at (714) 573-1965 or visit the Internet Web site www.priorityposting.com (Click on the link for "Advanced Search" to search for sale information), or auction.com at 1-800-280-2832 or visit the Internet Web site www.auction.com, using the Trustee Sale No. shown above. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. **A-4442487 02/13/2014, 02/20/2014, 02/27/2014 ARCADIA WEEKLY**

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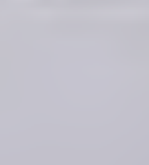

The Social Whirl

Sex and the City Zoo

Pasadena Residents Carl and Learden Matthies (right), who describe themselves as "bird fans", enjoying the Greater Los Angeles Zoo Association's "Sex and the City Zoo" evening, especially the opportunity to get up close with Thurston, a great horned owl (with her keeper Elaine Chu). -*Photo Credit: Thomas A. Nord*

It was ADULTS ONLY for "Sex and the City Zoo", and extraordinary Valentine`s Day event celebrating romance in the animal kingdom presented by the Greater Los Angeles Zoo Association (GLAZA) on February 8. The lighthearted affair began with a reception featuring tempting desserts, alluring wines, a performance by recording artist, musician and entertainer Whitney Hall and "animal walk-abouts," which included chats with keepers and the chance for an up-close visit with an Angolian python and a great horned owl. The heart of the evening was a provocative presentation about animal mating, dating and cohabitating by Michael Dee, former Los Angeles Zoo general curator, who offered insights about relationships in the animal kingdom. Proceeds from the fifth annual event, generously sponsored by Whole Foods Market West Hollywood, support GLAZA, which funds plant and animal exhibits, species conservation, capital projects, education and community outreach, and many other programs at the Los Angeles Zoo and Botanical Gardens.

Kim Coles stars in "Oh, But Wait There's More" at Fremont Center Theatre; Three performances only starting February 21

This zany and at times irreverent solo show chronicles the ebb and flow of Kim`s show biz career with titillating inside Hollywood anecdotes and personal stories from her amazing world. (Ms. Coles is well-known as a TV star, with series regular roles on "Living Single," "In Living Color," "The Geena Davis Show," and many other appearances on series on series and in films.)

The show is the final entry in the Fremont Centre Theatre series "From the Best of the Fest," a retrospective look at favorite shows from 21 years of the Los Angeles Women`s Theatre Festival. The show is presented by Los Angeles Women`s Theatre Festival and the California Performing Arts Centre at Fremont Centre Theatre.

At Fremont Centre Theatre, 1000 Fremont Ave. (at El Centro), South Pasadena, Ca. 91030. There is ample free parking behind theatre. February21-February 23, 2014, Fri. & Sat. at 8:00, Sun. at 3: 00 p.m. $20 in advance, $25 at the door. Students, seniors and groups of 12 or more, $15, Reservations: (866) 811-4111 (toll-free). Online ticketing: www.fremontcentretheatre.com.

The Newcomers and Friends of San Gabriel Valley Club invites new local residents to March events

The Newcomers and Friends of San Gabriel Valley club invites new local residents in the San Gabriel Valley to join in their up-coming March events. The SGV Newcomers monthly "meet and greet" coffee will be held in Arcadia on March 5–Sierra Madre at 10:00 a.m. The coffee is a great way to meet the members of SGV Newcomers and learn about the various monthly club activities. Anyone interested in joining the club is welcome to attend. Additionally, Newcomers is hosting a tour on March 26 in Hollywood. Other SGV Newcomers club activities include a book club, Bunco, Bridge, Mah jongg, Pinochle, Scrabble, golf, hiking, movie goers, wine tasting, travel, luncheons, tours and more.

To learn more about the Newcomers and Friends of San Gabriel Valley club contact them via email at sgvnewcomers@yahoo.com or visit them online at http://www.sgvnewcomers.com (818) 415-6922.

Tickets go on sale February 5th for the 50th Pasadena Showcase House of Design

How time flies! Once again, it`s time to purchase our tickets to the annual Pasadena Showcase House of Design. This year, Pasadena Showcase House for the Arts celebrates its 50th Showcase House, a 1915 English country estate in the Arts and Craft style located in Pasadena. The House will be open from April 13 to May 11 (Mother`s Day). This year`s Pasadena Showcase House will be featured, along with the past 49 Showcase Houses in a commemorative book, 50 Years of Pasadena Showcase Design Houses: Supporting the Arts Through Design. The book will be available for purchase at the Shops at Showcase at the 2014 Pasadena Showcase House of Design.

Originally known as The Flint House, for its first owners, Robert and Margaret Flint, the 8,200 square foot house, featured 17 rooms, and was built at a cost of $28,000, compared with the $5,000 cost of an average home of that time. Another noted owner was Philip Chandler, son of Harry Chandler, the publisher of the Los Angeles Times. The house was designed by Stiles O. Clements, noted architect of El Captain Theatre in Hollywood and the Mayan Theater in downtown Los Angeles.

This year, visitors to Showcase House will see seven stunningly decorated bedrooms, including a nursery, a nanny`s room and a traveler`s suite, ten baths, five fireplaces, a media room, oak floors, redwood wall paneling, and floor to ceiling leaded glass windows. The 3.5-acre grounds feature a lily pond, river-rock spring house, a variety of lovely gardens, a pool with dressing rooms, a tennis court, a greenhouse, a gardener`s potting shed and an outdoor kitchen. In addition, there is a chauffeur`s suite complete with sitting area and kitchenette situated above the carriage house.

Tickets will go on sale February 5th and can be ordered online at www.PasadenaShowcase.org. For an additional fee, tickets may also be purchased by phone at (714) 442-3872. For recorded Showcase information, please call (626)5780-8500. Primetime tickets ordered in advance are priced at $40 for weekdays from 9:00 a.m. to 1:45 p.m.., and weekends from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The Weekday Matinee tickets are $35 for Tuesdays from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. and Wednesdays through Fridays from 2:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

This year`s Tickets Co-Chairs are Linda Polwrek and Debra Qurtman. Polwrek shares exciting news about a new Twilight Ticket available for the first time.

The Pasadena Showcase House of Design will be open Tuesdays, Saturdays and Sundays fro, 9:00 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. and Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 7:45 p.m. Showcase is closed on Mondays. Unfortunately, the Showcase property is not a child-safe venue. Infants and children under the age of 12 will not be permitted on the premises.

Complimentary parking is available at the Pasadena Rose Bowl, Lot I. Guests will be shuttled to the 2014 Pasadena Showcase House where they can tour the estate and its magnificent gardens, dine at The Restaurant at Showcase and go on a shopping spree at the Shops at Showcase. The gardens, restaurant, and shops may be visited without a ticket.

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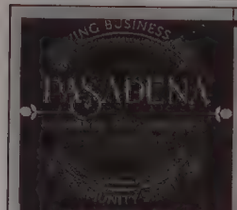

March Pasadena Chamber of Commerce Events:

Luncheon Alliance networking event: Wed. Mar. 5 at 11:45am at Altadena Town and Country Club $25/$30. Sponsored by Rosemary Children's Services.

Breakfast Connection networking event: Thurs., Mar. 13th at 7am Courtyard by Marriott; $25/$30. Sponsor is Women's Business Momentum Center

Pasadena Chamber After Hours Social and Mixer: Thurs., Mar. 20th at 5pm at Mijares Mexican restaurant at 145 Palmetto (at Pasadena Ave.) in Pasadena. Sponsored by Eagle Star Security. Complimentary appetizers; happy hour drinks free/$10.

Young Professionals of Pasadena meet Thursday Mar. 27th at Lobsters @ Live Mixx at 115 E. Colorado in Old Pasadena. Working person age 21-40? Find all the info at facebook.com/pasadenayoungpro.

In January, the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce welcomed these new members:

Autism Speaks, Matthew Asner, (323)297-4720
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Other Upcoming Events

- **Access: Opportunity:** A Procurement Forum on March 13th from 3:30pm to 5pm at the Pasadena City College Community Education Center. Helping small business connect with large companies.
- **Affordable Care Act/Covered California Enrollment Fair:** March 11th from 1pm to 6pm at PCC Community Education Center. A one-stop event to enroll in Covered California before the deadline.

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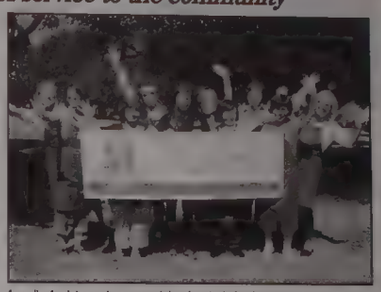
Assistance League of Arcadia eelebrates 60 years of service to the community

In celebration, Assistance League of Arcadia (www.alarcadia.org) is pleased to announce an Open House, March 19, 2014, at its chapter house, 100 South Santa Anita Avenue, Arcadia, Ca between 4:00-7:00 pm. Tours of Operation School Bell will be offered and light refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcomed.

The Assistance League of Arcadia, one of 122 chapters of National Assistance League, is an all-volunteer member-driven nonprofit 501 ©(3) organization. This year the organization is celebrating its 60th year of providing lasting change in the community through hands-on involvement and innovative programs.

Assistance League`s signature program is Operation School Bell, which provides new clothing for children who are pre-identified through arrangements made with local schools and counselors. The goal is not only to help the children feel better about themselves, but also about going to and staying in school. This program serves the Alhambra, Arcadia, Duarte, Monrovia, Rosemead, San Gabriel and Temple City School Districts, as well as, the Almansor Center. The children`s Operation School Bell shopping experience includes a warm jacket, hooded sweatshirt, underwear, shirts, pants, shoes, socks, backpack, school supplies, hygiene kit, and books. Not surprisingly, school personnel and social workers have reported an immediate difference in the emotional state of the children assisted by Operation School Bell.



Arcadia Assistance League celebrating 60th Anniversary at open house March 19th. -*Courtesy Photo*

Last year, the Assistance League`s 347 volunteers provided 26,800 service hours to more than 25,000 children and adults through its programs. In addition to Operation School Bell, their Links to Learning program provides monetary awards to teachers to enhance their curriculum and enrich students` classroom experiences. Hospital Magazines distributes magazines for all Arcadia Methodist waiting rooms and patients. Senior Programs provides seniors and visually impaired the opportunity to gather and socialize at the Assistance League of Arcadia Chapter House. Kids on the Block educates elementary students with puppet shows about the dangers of smoking, dealing with bullying, accepting disabilities, and healthy eating and exercise; and Baby Basics provides infant clothing, books, and supplies to new mothers through Foothill Unity Center.

Programs are funded through grants, donations, and the operation of The Bargain Box Thrift Shop located at 64 East Live Oak Avenue, Arcadia, Ca. Thrift Shop hours are Tuesday-Saturday 10:00 am-3:00 pm, Donations of gently used household goods and clothing are always welcome. Email: ala@alarcadia.org.

Los Angeles Master Chorale's "Golden on Grand" 50th Anniversary Gala extravaganza raised more than $600,000 for chorus

The Los Angeles Master Chorale`s year-long 50th anniversary season shifted into high gear with "Golden on Grand", a spectacular black-tie gala extravaganza celebrating the Chorale`s remarkable musical legacy over the past five decades, on Saturday, January 25, 2014. Nearly 400 cultural, political and business luminaries, including Gala benefactor BNY Mellon, as well as long-time friends of the Chorale, came together for this glamorous tribute and elegant evening of music and dining at the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion, the Chorale`s original home for 37 years, beginning from 1964 until it moved to Walt Disney Concert Hall in 2003. KNBC`s Fritz Coleman was Master of Ceremonies. The gala, which featured breathtaking "Grand Choral Serenade" and "Surround Sing" performances by the Chorale plus live and silent auctions and a sumptuous dinner, was co-chaired by Annette Emshar and Joyce Nores and raised more than $600, 00 for the Chorale. The Master Chorale is a founding resident company of the Music Center.

The Social Whirl

Pasadena Showcase House for the Arts kicks off their 50th with Grand Empty House Party

It was an enchanted evening when over 500 guests attended the Pasadena Showcase House for the Arts (PSHA) annual Empty House Part, January 24th. This event is the official announcement for PSHA`s annual benefit. It is also an opportunity for local dignitaries, patrons, and the media to see the 50th Showcase House before it is transformed by a cadre of outstanding designers into the exquisite showplace the public has come to know and love for the last 49 years. This year`s House will be featured, along with the 49 past Showcase Houses in a commemorative book, 50 Years of Pasadena Showcase Design Houses: Supporting the Arts Through Design.

The 2014 Showcase House is a magnificent 1915 English country estate built in the Arts and Crafts style, designed by noted architect Stiles O. Clements, who also designed El Captain Theatre in Hollywood and the Mayan Theater in downtown Los Angeles. The estate features seven bedrooms, including a nursery, a nanny`s room and a traveler`s suite, ten baths, five fireplaces, a media room, oak floors, redwood wall paneling, and floor to ceiling leaded glass windows. The 3.5 acre wooded grounds feature a lily pond river-rock spring house, a variety of lovely gardens, a pool and dressing rooms, a tennis court, a greenhouse, a gardener`s potting shed and an outdoor kitchen. In addition there is a chauffeur`s suite complete with sitting area and kitchenette located above the carriage house.

Current President Donna Gotch remarked, "I am honored to serve PSHA as its President as we celebrate 65 years of volunteerism and the 50th Anniversary of our annual benefit.

As guests journeyed through the mansion, they were able to experience the House in its "before" stage, and were treated to live music by a jazz quartet, and delicious culinary offerings from The Kitchen for Exploring Foods. The menu was English-inspired with foods such as Anne Bolyn Lemon Tarts, English Sticky Toffee Pudding, Stilton Cheese Terrine, English Braised Beef, and a very special 50th Anniversary ice sculpture, making for a tasty and tasteful evening.

Vicki McCluggage and Charlotte Varner were CO-Chairs for the event. "We wanted to make it festive for the 50th and people are really noticing the extra touches, like the ice sculpture and the live music," said McCluggage. "We are so happy to have some of our traditional designers return for the 50th anniversary. Designers such as John Cole (salon), Michael Berman (dining room), Cynthia Bennett (kitchen), and Kathryne Dahlman (the great room) are also loyal supporters of Showcase."

Varner reflected, "the Empty House party is a perfect kickoff to generate excitement about our project. The fact that it is the 50th Annual Showcase House is a tremendous accomplishment and we are excited to welcome all our guests. I was fortunate to have chaired the 40th Showcase House, and as I said then, and repeat now, every visitor to Showcase is contributing to the arts when they buy a ticket, dine at our Restaurant or shop at the Shops, all contributions enable us to fund music and arts programs in the community."

The 2014 Pasadena Showcase House of Design will be open to the public Sunday, April 13 through Sunday, May 11. For more information about PSHA, the Pasadena Showcase House of Design, or to order 50 Years of Pasadena Showcase Design Houses, please visit www.PasadenaShowecase.org

L-R: Charlotte Varner, Empty House Party Co-Chair, Donna Gotch, PSHA President, Mary Ann Clayton, 50th Showcase House of Design Benefit Chair, Vicki McCluggage, Empty House Party Co-Chair.

L-R: Past Benefit Chair, Donna Gotch, Charlotte Varner, Fran Biles, Mary Ann Clayton, Weta Mathies, Vicki McCluggage, Judy Frank, Rary Simmons, Marti Farley, Brenda Owen, Jennifer Walston Johnson and Doris Christy. Other Benefit Chairs In Attendance but not pictured: Kathryn Hofgaarden, Beverly Marksbury, Gretchen McNally, Karen Stracka, Joy Sullivan and Kaytie Watkins.

Arcadians Jan and Doug McEachern at Pasadena Showcase House Empty House, January 24th. Jan is a long time member and supporter of the Showcase House.

Shakespeare Club donates $3649.00 in Christmas gifts to the Friends of Foster Children

Pasadena Shakespeare Club members L-R Susan Wittmer, Peggy Ulbrich, Mary Moffitt, Carole Kolla, Monica Forgey and Lou Ann Heintz, shop for foster children.

The Shakespeare Club has been involved with Friends of Foster Children almost since its inception in 1976. Friends of Foster Children (FOFC) are a non-profit organization composed entirely of volunteers who share a deep concern for children. They have no paid staff. These children are those who must live apart from their families due to neglect, abandonment, illness or family dysfunction. FOFC also assist newly emancipated foster teens as they learn to set up their own homes, continue their education, and struggle to be self-supporting.

Steve Wittmer, Friends of Foster Children Sugar Plum, told us that over 450 local foster children who live in residential treatment centers had their Christmas wishes hung on the Sugar Plum Trees at Westfield Santa Anita in Arcadia again this past year. Gifts are purchased for those children whose tags were not picked or were never returned to insure that every child received a gift. Gifts and donations of wrapping paper were forwarded to the following children`s centers:

Bienvenidos Foster Care Services, Ettie Lee Youth and Family Services, Hathaway-Sycamores Child & Family Services, Helen Evans Home, Hillsides, Hope Houser for the Multiple-Handicapped, LeRoy Haynes Center for Children & Family Services, Rosemary Children`s Services, Trinity Youth Services-El Monte. The needs of Emancipated foster youth from FKCE-Independent Living Programs, Transitional Independent Living Program, and Youth Moving On were also included.

The *Philanthropy Department* of the Club headed by Chairman Monica Forgey collected donations equaling $3649.00 from Club Members and friends then went shopping with FOFC staff members with long lists in hand. The items purchased during the TOYS R US shopping day were distributed based on the wishes of the children at the group homes and the needs of the facilities. The shopping lists were made based on those wishes. Additional cash donations were also given to FOFC.

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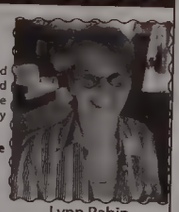
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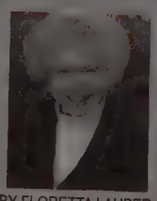
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Les Sauvages Americains presents "The Violin-Viola Duet in Revolutionary France" at the Sierra Madre Playhouse - Feb. 16

Les Sauvages Americains are one of the most exciting young ensembles in the Los Angeles area, presenting comprehensive, experiential programming in which the music is interrelated in an historical context. True to their name, the Savages are given keenly to interpretations, which tend towards the wild side of the spectrum. The ensemble endeavors to approach the repertoire as a rock band might do, with each member bringing his or her own interpretive flair to the performance which is, subsequently, integrated into cohesive whole. The result is a thrilling dynamism: a real sense of empfindsamkeit.

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The programme:

Jean-Baptiste Boulogne "Le Chevalier de Saint George (1745-1799): Sonata for Violin duct in A Majeur, Op.3.

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Ignaz Pleyel (1757-1831): Grand Duo pour Violon et Alto in E-flat Majeur, Op. 69 No. 3.

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JP Tobin, viola and Lindsey Stand-Polyak, violin, of Les Sauvages Americains perform works by Jean-Baptiste Boulougne, "Le Chevalier de . Saint-George"; Antonio Lorenziti; and Ignaz Pleyel.

Sierra Madre Playhouse, 87 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., Sierra Madre, Ca. 91024. There is ample free parking behind the theatre.

Sunday, February 16, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

$20.00. Students (to age 21) and seniors (65 +), $15. (626) 355-4318 www.sierra madreplayhouse.org.

Retired teachers to receive update on Southern California military bases

Lt. Col. Donald Traud, Reservist, will bring members of the California Retired Teachers` Association #71 (CalRTA-SGV) an update on the events and activities of Southern California`s military bases. Lt. Col. Traud is Public Affairs Officer for Aerotech News and Review`s Beacon newspaper, a civilian enterprise Air Force newspaper. In particular, the speaker will tell about current happenings at March Air Reserve Base (Riverside County) and the Los Angeles Air Field.

The group will welcome Lt. Colonel Traud to its luncheon meeting on Friday, February 14, at 11:30 a.m. at the Senior Center Building in Arcadia Park (county park), 405 W. Santa Anita Avenue, Arcadia, next to the Lawn Bowling Greens. Guests are welcome to come enjoy the luncheon and to hear Lt. Col. Traud`s presentation. Chef`s Catering of Arcadia will serve a delightful luncheon of beef sirloin tips, noodles, vegetables, and cherry pie (of course!) for dessert. As an alternative, tuna salad is also available. The cost of the luncheon for members and guests is $10. For Luncheon reservations, *please call John Gera at (626)* 286-0714 by the February 7th deadline.

Membership in the California Retired Teachers` Association is open to all retired educators, as well as to any others interested in joining this active group, which now numbers over 500 members in CalRTA #71, the San Gabriel Valley Division.

Could this help you?

The City of Arcadia Senior Services Division is offering a Lip Reading/Brain Aerobics class for adults, 50+ years of age. This course is offered as a communication tool for the hard of hearing and the goal of the class is to help students regain confidence and lessen the feelings of isolation. The class is facilitated by licensed speech pathologist, Francine Katz and is located at 365 Campus Drive, Arcadia, 91007. Courses can be taken either on Mondays, which began January 27 or Wednesday, January 29 and the fee is $4 for the 16 week course.

For more information call Arcadia Senior Services at 626/574-5130 or log onto: www.ci.arcadia.ca.us.

The Doozies

By Tom Gammill

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Housing predictions for 2014

BY RUDY LIRA KUSUMA, REALTOR®

Making predictions in what is still a somewhat volatile housing market can be tricky. That being said, I am going to give you what I believe will be the three biggest headlines for housing in 2014.

Home Sales Will Surge

Many housing pundits are calling for home sales to do slightly better in 2014 than they did in 2013. To the contrary, I strongly believe that home sales will skyrocket with increases of 10-15% in 2014.

Supply Will Struggle to Keep Up with Demand

With a dramatic increase in demand, it will be up to real estate professionals and builders to make sure there is the necessary inventory to satisfy this demand. This will be a challenge for much of the year.

Interest Rates Will Increase Significantly

Most experts are calling for an increase in mortgage interest rates in 2014. However, I believe the increase will be more dramatic than is being projected. I believe rates will be closer to 6% than 5% by year's end.

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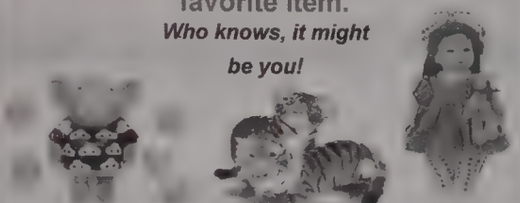

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It was standing room only at Arcadia Historical Society Program

L-R President Gene Glasco, guest speaker George Sanders and program chair Beverly Street at Historical Society Meeting January 15th. -Photo by Floretta Lauber

Never underestimate the power of a Senior! Last evening January 16th, George Sanders a Super Senior, the former owner and pharmacist of Colonial Pharmacy in West Arcadia for decades, held the standing room only crowd, at full attention as he told of his experiences in WWII as an 18 year old, going through difficult training, while being assigned to Military Intelligence . His talk included his experiences in the invasion of Normandy, war in Europe, Battle of the Bulge, post combat duties and his return to civilian life.

George is a member of the Arcadia Lions Club and has served as their president several times. He is also an avid golfer at Santa Anita Golf Course. Gene Glasco is president of the Society and announced a scholarship that is being awarded to qualifying police cadets and Explorer Scouts, in honor of the late Lt. Edward Ostashay, who brought the 1959 former Arcadia Police car to Arcadia.

Hats off to program chair Beverly Street, who has provided outstanding programs for the organization.

Los Angeles Philharmonic Association to present 2014 Playboy Jazz Festival

36TH Annual Playboy Jazz Festival June 14-15,2014 at the Hollywood Bowl Hosted by George Lopez

The Los Angeles Philharmonic Association will present the 36th annual Playboy Jazz Festival June 14-15, 2014 at the Hollywood Bowl. As always, the Festival will feature the emerging generation of jazz artists as well as superstars of the genre. George Lopez will host the event, marking the second year of his involvement with the Festival after taking over from Bill Cosby in 2013.

"The Playboy Jazz Festival and the Hollywood Bowl have enjoyed a thriving partnership, and we are fortunate to integrate this tradition into our programming, underscoring the commitment of the LA Phil to the jazz genre", remarked LA Phil President and CEO Deborah Borda. "We are thrilled to continue working with Festival-West to produce this iconic event."

"We could not be happier to be presented by the LA Philharmonic", said Richard S. Rosenzweig, President Emeritus, Playboy Jazz Festivals. "It feels like a natural evolution of the wonderful partnership we've shared over the past 35 years. The LA Phil's dedication to jazz as an art form is undeniable, and we're delighted to become a member of the LA Phil's family."

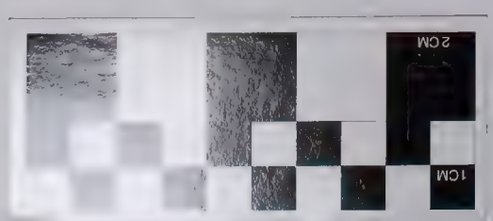
For more information on the 2014 Playboy Jazz Festival visit: http://Hollywood Bowl.com/Playboy-Jazz. Full programming will be announced in February 2014.

'Lattes and Literature' at the Sierra Madre Woman's Club

Sierra Madre Woman's Club invites you to attend their Lattes and Literature event with local authors on Saturday, February 1 at 11:30 a.m. This will be held at Essick House, their historic clubhouse, located at 550 W. Sierra Madre Blvd.

Reading enthusiasts will hear authors all with a very different writing style and subject matter. To top the day, fabulous refreshments will be served.

Tickets are $20.00 each with proceeds supporting club philanthropies. For reservations or more information, please call Alma Mays at 626/355-8977.



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Homeland Security advisor asks citizens to take a stand against human trafficking

As January is National Human Trafficking Awareness Month, California's Homeland Security Advisor and Director of the Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Mark Ghilarducci, released the following statement Tuesday:

It is estimated that more than 20 million people around the world are victims of human trafficking. Approximately 800,000 victims annually are trafficked across international borders worldwide. Between 14,500 and 17,500 of those victims are trafficked into the United States, according to the U.S. Department of State.

Subjection to the injustices of human trafficking, such as forced labor, debt bondage, involuntary servitude and sexual exploitation shatters families, lives and our communities, here and abroad. It is a heinous crime that involves the use of force, fraud, or coercion to recruit, harbor, transport, provide or obtain a person for the purposes of sexual or labor exploitation. Victims of human trafficking are, more often than not, women and young children, but also include teenagers and men.

California Attorney General Kamala Harris notes human trafficking is the world's fastest growing criminal enterprise and is an estimated $32 billion-a-year global industry. California, a populous border state with a significant immigrant population and the world's ninth largest economy, is one of the nation's top destination states for trafficking human beings.

My office has and will continue to commit itself to the fight against human trafficking and, in doing so, support our nine human trafficking task forces throughout the state (in Anaheim, Fresno, Los Angeles, Oakland, Riverside, Sacramento, San Diego, San Francisco and San Jose), who rescue countless victims and the prosecution of the many perpetrators of this crime. Cal OES has committed more than $5 million to fighting human trafficking through our task forces.

Efforts of the task forces include coordination of information and resource sharing among state and federal law enforcement agencies and victim service providers; development of training for law enforcement personnel, victim service providers, and the public to identify and assist victims of human trafficking; development of protocols and resource manuals for responding to cases involving human trafficking; the identification and rescue of human trafficking victims; and the investigation, arrest and prosecution of human trafficking cases.

Additionally, in California, the State Threat Assessment Centers and our numerous partners are working closely with law enforcement and non-governmental organizations to end modern-day slavery. I applaud their efforts and encourage you to stand against human trafficking.

If you believe someone to be a victim, please call the National Human Trafficking Resource Center at 1-888-373-7888 or text BeFree (23733). It only takes a second to make a major, positive impact on a person's life.

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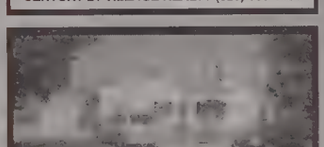

BALDWIN PARK $458,000
Property profile shows 2 Br 2 Ba but it actualy has 2 units - each unit 2 Br 1 Bath Property to be sold "As Is" condition. Also property 14449 Cavette Pl Baldwin Park is selling for $480,000 it has 2 units - 2 Br 1 Ba and 1 Br 1 Ba Lot 19,371 Sq Ft. both properties to be sold together could be build 5 single homes.(please check with city).(C14453)

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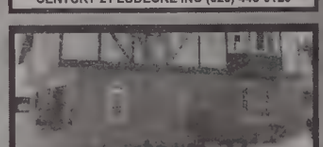

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Monrovia Chamber of Commerce announces annual award recipients

Monrovia Chamber of Commerce has just announced recipients for their annual awards for 2013. The Iris Award, Citizen of the Year will be presented to Mark Still, Curator of Exhibits Monrovia Historical Museum. The Monroe Award; Business Person of the Year will be presented to Diane Balsamo, Wells Fargo Home Mortgage and the Dick Lord Award for outstanding contributions to the Chamber will be presented to Shawn Davis, Route 66 Weekly. The Monrovia Chamber of Commerce has initiated two new awards as well. The New Member Business of the Year Award, to be presented to Dr. Theresa Smith, Hands 2 Health Wellness Center. The second new award is the Military Service and Stewardship Award to be presented to Charles (Chuck) Keen for his passionate work for veterans.

The Monrovia Chamber extends an invitation to the community to attend the Annual Membership & Awards Dinner to honor and support these deserving members of our community. The annual dinner is on Friday, January 31, 2014 at the Doubletree by Hilton, Monrovia. To make a reservation, call the Chamber 626 358-1159, $65. per person.

The Chamber is selling $10. raffle tickets for a chance to win an E Zip Skyline electric bike valued at $869.00. With 250 watts of power this electric bike is a great mode of transportation around town. The drawing will take place on January 31, 2014 at the Membership & Awards Dinner. The winner need not be present to win. For information please call the Chamber, 626 358-1159.

Go Green – The Monrovia Chamber is selling $10. raffle tickets for a chance to win an E Zip Skyline electric bike valued at $869.00. With 250 watts of power this electric bike is a great mode of transportation around town. *–Courtesy Photo*

Former Doo Dah Queen Erika Marrin Passes Away

This photo was taken at the 2010 Doo Dah Parade. *–Photo by Terry Miller*

Queen Erika Marrin was a graduate of Eliot Middle School and John Muir HS. She went to Art Center College of Design and graduated in photography. Currently she was a nanny to her own niece and nephew. She died of a blood clot to the brain a Dec 22. The origami bird was Erika's symbol. When she won Queen of Doo Dah, she was very quick with the quippy comebacks, and wore a beautiful retro pink dress and played violin. Kind of a classy queen! But for the parade, she made herself a crown and costume that was covered with origami birds and the costume had an oriental flavor. She will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved here.

There is a celebration of her life this Saturday Jan 18: For details and location of the event, please call Patty Hurley at the LightBringer Project at 626.590.1134 or email hurleypanne@yahoo.com.

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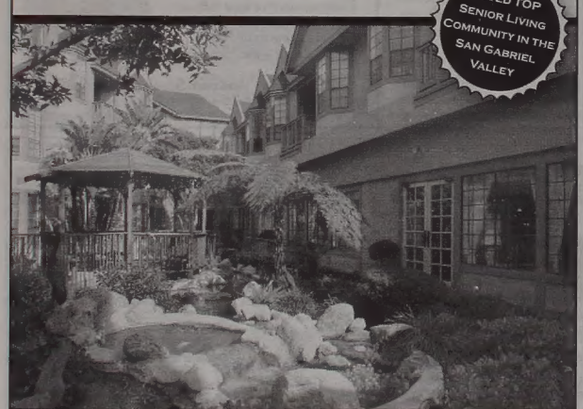

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Lifeline for Pets Cat of the Week: 'Terrific Tamara'

Tamara, or "Tami" for short, is still very young, and still adorably kittenish. She is VERY sweet and gets along with everyone! Tabbies are such good-natured cats, and Tamara is no exception! She loves to cuddle and play, and would fit in well with any loving, gentle family, with or without children or other pets. Tami is healthy, spayed, and current on all vaccines. There are more pictures of her, and a video, on our website, posted below. Or, see her video directly at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=m4LdgDCVWa4. Call 626-676-9505.

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Lifeline For Pets website: www.lifelineforpets.org

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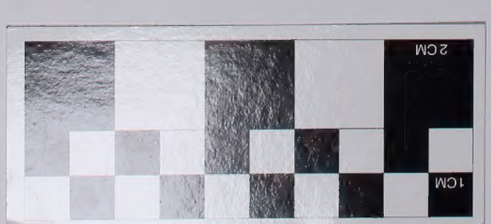
Beacon Media's Floretta Lauber honored by Arcadia Chinese Association

Floretta Lauber was unanimously selected to be the 2014 Arcadia Chinese Association`s Community Services Award recipient. "We have received many great recommendations and references regarding your dedication to the community of the City of Arcadia and its services. ACA is proud to acknowledge your accomplishments and delighted to have active citizens such as yourself in our community," the ACA said in a letter to Lauber.

"With much honor, ACA would like to invite you to attend the Senior Citizen Luncheon held on Friday, Feb. 14th,2014 at Arcadia Community Center at 11:00 am."

Floretta Lauber



Design the Sierra Madre Rose Float Association 2015 Float

The design contest for next year's SMRFA has started and will be held until Friday, February 7, 2014. The Official Theme of the Pasadena Tournament of Roses 2015 Parade will be announced by the upcoming President, Richard Chinen, on January 16, 2014 and will be on thier website, www.smrosefloat.org. For a hint, to get you started, go to thier website and follow the "Design the 2015 SMRFA Float" link.

Design Guidelines:

1. Designs must be received no later than Friday, February 7th 2014, by 5:00 p.m. at P.O. Box 603, Sierra Madre, CA 91025.
2. Design submissions need to take into consideration the Tournament of Roses 2015 Parade Theme.
3. Designers should consider the appropriate use of float riders, Sierra Madre Rose Princesses/Escorts (2-4) and animation. Float designs should represent a float no longer than 55 feet and 18 feet wide.
4. The design contest is open to all ages (need not be a Sierra Madre resident nor a Sierra Madre Rose Float Association member). Designs developed by Groups, Art Classes or other organizations are gladly received. Designers are encouraged also to submit more than one design.
5. Please provide a title to the float design. Submission should include a written description (no more than 100 words) of the concept and possible animation.
6. While only a very simple sketch is required to illustrate the concept, more detail can help in the selection process, however it must be in black & white.

See the website for Design Rules, Theme Submission and Designer Release Forms. For further information, please call the Float Barn at 626-355-7005 and leave a message on the answering machine or email volunteers@smrosefloat.org .

So put on your thinking caps and put your thoughts to paper!!

Sierra Madre political season

Continued from page 1

on December 17, 2013 to run for re-election little did I know that, in the next 10 days, two members of my family would be diagnosed with very serious medical conditions. Obviously the possibility of my being called out-of-state, on short notice for an indeterminate length of time, is extremely high.

If I were to be re-elected, I`d be unable to put my full attention to the needs of the City for the next four years. Also, I do not want to be in the situation of leaving my elected position early. That would be unfair to the fine folks of Sierra Madre.

I have been blessed and honored to serve the citizens of Sierra Madre for the last two years. I have met so many caring and genuinely nice folks!

I pledge to finish my term to the best of my ability. This will include City issues like the extremely

important water rate increase scheduled for February 1, 2014 that will put our Water Department on a solid financial footing.I make this decision not to run with a heavy heart, but family comes first.Thank you, Sierra Madre.-

Nancy Walsh apparently did not file by Monday`s deadline, although we received no formal announcement from her or Josh Moran.

As the Tattler says... .."They're all gone. Not a one of them is left for us to marvel at their decorum and civil ways. The Civility Party, the three 2010 Sierra Madre candidates for City Council who won feverish acclaim as those who would restore our community to something it probably never really was, all of them have now gone away.

Has there ever been a Mayor anywhere in this troubled old world who decided to leave office and didn't bother to tell anyone? Nancy Walsh, who never drew the papers necessary to run for a second term of office, became ineligible to seek reelection after yesterday's 5PM deadline for incumbents. She didn't issue any public statements or press releases about this momentous decision, no condolences were given to her disappointed followers, no speeches were made, no dinners held, nor did she speak to the news media about why exactly she has chosen to so abruptly end her career in politics.

She didn't do anything. The deadline for filing came and went, and nothing was said. That was it."

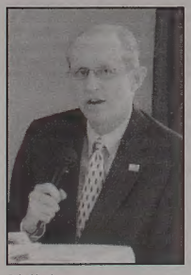
The Tattler has also been keeping a running tab of the Prop. 218 Protest votes received at City Hall: The latest as of Tuesday follows: "Envelopes now at City Hall - 808

(Important Note: envelopes may contain multiple ballots.)

Total ballot quantity needed - 1,848"

Deadline - January 28th @ 9AM

Final tally won`t be known until the end of the public hearing on Jan 28.



Cris Koeber

Josh Moran

Nancy Walsh -*Photos by Terry*

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Arcadia Woman's Club kicks off centennial celebration

Organized in 1914, the Arcadia Woman`s Club, has been one of the main stays of community service clubs in Arcadia for 100 years. During their early years they met in members homes, later they were given space in the former City Hall. In 1930 they bought the two lots on the corner of First Avenue and Diamond Street from Anita Baldwin for $1,800.00 and built their clubhouse, which was completed in 1931. It is one of Arcadia`s Historical sites and this day enjoyed by the members and other community events.

50 year member and three time past President Floretta Lauber, has been named by club president Cheryl Alberg, to serve as Centennial Chairman.

The year will be star studded with outstanding programs including a beautiful Fashion Show from Drapers in Pasadena on February 22nd. (Be sure to save the date) One of the outstanding events will be a retu8rn to CIVIC DAY, an event the club held for many years up through the 80`s. It will be a Community VIP`s lunch with the Arcadia Police Department under the direction of Chief Bob Guthrie, repeating one of their outstanding shows of yesteryear. Expect lots of excitement.

City manager Dominic Lazzaretto will be giving a state of the city talk on February 5th. In April Carol Libby Area Historian will be presenting a vintage fashion show covering the 100 years of the club`s existence with a historical accompaniment.

Interested woman are invited to visit, or call (626) 355-6945.

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Arcadia Chinese Association Dinner Gala

ACA President Joanna Liang is presented a congratulatory certificate from Olivia Lee, field representative from, State Assemblyman, Edward Chau.

Arcadia Mayor Pro-Tem John Wuo presents Mayors Certificate of Appreciations to ACA President Joanna Liang, at their fundraiser Gala.

Santa Holds the youngest guest and tells him of sugar plum fairies at ACA Christmas dinner party. *-Photos Courtesy of Gene Glasco*

One of the most exciting fundraisers in town is the ACA annual fundraiser gala. The Galas was held this year on December 21st at the Arcadia Community Center.

It was a happy Holiday themed event complete with Santa Claus, live band, Dancing slide show and a variety of entertainment, including beautiful Hand Bells and Bel Canto Chamber singers.

Joanne Liang, the charming president on her second year in that role, with a committee made up of past president, including Edward Wong, Pearl Chen, Josephine Louie, Alice Wang, Lily Mak, and others put on a wonderful evening for their many guests.

Presentations were made to President Liang from the office of State Assemblyman Edward Chau and Arcadia Mayor Pro-Tem John Wuo. Leaders from the community were in attendance. The City Council was represented with Mayor Pro-Tem John Wuo and Jane, Council member Bob Harbicht and Patsy, City Manager Dominic Lazzaretto and Christine, Political Chief Bob Guthrie and City Clerk Gene Glasco.

The ACA has been generous to many charities thru the years giving a total of over $41,000. The recipients for t his event were Assistance League of Arcadia, Arcadia Public Library summer reading program, Foothill Unity Center, AAUW Arcadia Tech Trek, Arcadia Education Foundation, Arcadia Historical Museum Foundation, Arcadia White Christmas, Friends of Live Oak Library, Summer Reading program. All received $800.00 excerpt, The Education Foundation which received $1,000.00. A raffle took place throughout the evening, live music and dancing concluded the evening.

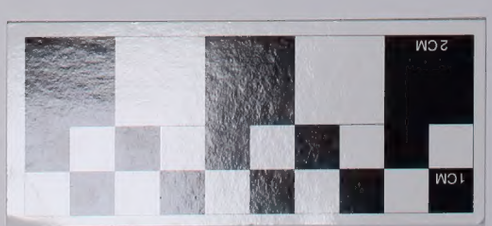
Los Angeles Master Chorale pulls out the stops for special 50th anniversary weekend celebration January 25th & 26th

The anniversary weekend celebration shifts into high gear on January 25th at 6pm. With "Golden on Grand", a gala honoring 50 years of extraordinary music. Cultural, political and business luminaries as well as long-time friends of the Chorale come together for this glamorous tribute and elegant evening of music and dining staged in the Eva and Marc Stern Grand Hall of the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion the Chorale`s original home from 1964 to 2003, and sponsored by BNY Mellon. Gala highlights include the Chorale`s signature "Surround Sing", live and silent auctions, and a sumptuous dinner catered by Patina; and dancing to Wayne Foster Entertainment. KNBC`s Fritz Coleman is Master of Ceremonies. Gala tickets are $650.00 per person.

The Los Angeles Master Chorale, one of LA`s cultural icons, pulls out the stops for an extraordinary 50th Anniversary Season Celebration the last weekend of January. The celebration id bookended with two performances of Bach`s incomparable B Minor Mass, the first work the Chorale ever performed as a nascent chorus nearly 50 years ago. Music Director Grant Gershon conducts a musical force that includes 115 singers and a symphonic orchestra on Saturday, January 25, 2 pm., and Sunday, January 26, 2014, 7 pm, at Walt Disney Concert Hall.

The Chorale has performed the Bach masterpiece ten times in five decades, including, most notably, for the first time as a newly minted Music Center resident company at its first independent concert conducted by Founding Music Director Roger Wagner at the just–opened Dorothy Chandler Pavilion on January 27, 1965. Says Gershon of the musical homage, "This is where it all started for the Los Angeles Master Chorale. To be able to conduct Bach`s masterpiece with the Chorale almost 50 years to the day after Roger Wagner did at the choir`s inaugural concert is simple amazing. It is an honor to be a part of this incredible legacy."

Concert tickets range from $29–$129. For tickets and information please call (213) 972-7282 or contact: www.lamc.org



The Social Whirl

"From the Best of the Fest": Superlative performances begin February 6th at Fremont Centre Theatre

As a prelude to the 21st Annual Los Angeles Women`s Theatre Festival in March, the Fremont Centre Theatre plays host to an array of encore performances by some favorite artists from years past.

For two decades now the Los Angeles Women`s Theatre Festival has presented outstanding female solo performing artists from around the world. At Fremont Centre Theatre for three weekends only, audiences old and new will have a chance to see some of the Festival`s best performances.

Here is roster of the performances:

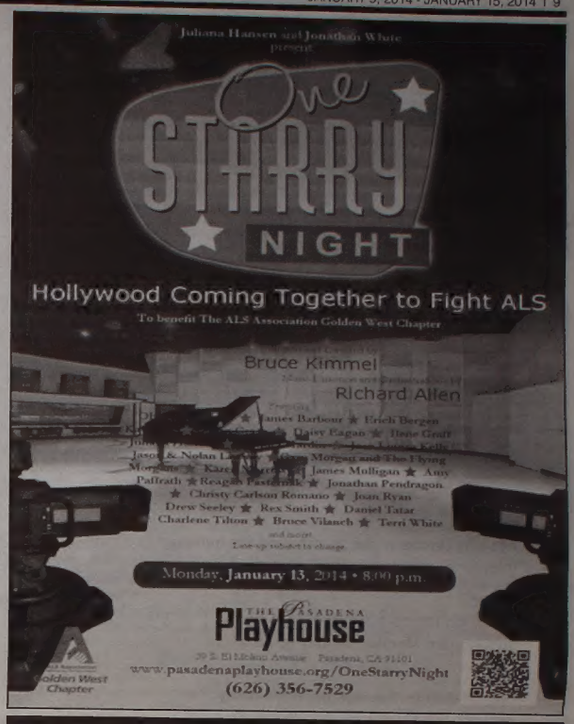
Weekend #1 –February 6-9, Theme: " Resilience", February 6, 2014–Sariyah Idan ("Homeless in Homeland"), February 7, 2014–Brenda Adelman ("My Brooklyn Hamlet"), Ingrid Graham ("The Passage") (5-7), February 8, 2014–Ingrid Graham ("The Passage), Ada Luz Pla ("Tracing My Lineage: A Story of a Puerto Rican Spitfire"), Paulina Sahagun ("Nahuatl-Now What?"), February 9, 2014–Clarinda Ross ("Spit Like a Big Girl"),

Weekend #2–February 13-16,Theme: "Love, Identity and Giving Voice", February 13, 2014–Vanessa Adams-Harris ("Who Will Sing For Lena?"), February 14, 2014– (Valentine`s Day)--Juliette Jeffers ("ChocolateMatch.com), Amy Milano ("Dancing With Crazies"), February 15, 2014–Barbara Cole ("Surviving Chrysalis"), Kiha S. Lee ("The Red Ribbon"), Karen A. Clark ("The Women"), Sunday, February 16, 2014–Chrystee Pharris ("In Search of O"), Cece Antoinette ("Watermelon: Git It While Its Hot")

Weekend #3–February 21-23, Theme: "Still Standing"–Kim Coles ("Oh, But Wait, There`s More!")

Special added FREE event: "Meet and Greet the Artists" on Saturday, February 1 at 3:00 p.m. Hear the inspirations behind their one-person shows. Meet them over coffee and cookies and ask them questions in this kick-off to the February events.

Admission: $20 with advance reservation, $25 at the door, Students, seniors and groups of twelve or more, $15. For Reservations please call (866) 811-4111 (toll free). Online Ticketing: www.fremontcentretheatre.com.


Juliana Hansen and Jonathan White present
One STARRY NIGHT
Hollywood Coming Together to Fight ALS
To benefit The ALS Association Golden West Chapter
Bruce Kimmel
Richard Allen
Monday, January 13, 2014 • 8:00 p.m.
THE PASADENA Playhouse
www.pasadenaplayhouse.org/OneStarryNight
(626) 356-7529

"Color Whisperer" to offer interior design tips to Arcadia AAUW

The Arcadia Branch of the American Association of University Women (AAUW) will have the pleasure of hearing from interior designer Jeanette Chasworth (ASID), owner of Chasworth Place, Monrovia, at its first meeting of 2014. Dubbed "the Color Whisperer" by clients and colleagues alike because of her ability to "speak the language of color in her design work", Chasworth is a California-born, California-loving designer. She was educated in Interior Design at the Los Angeles Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising. Her work has been featured in such prestigious magazines as Architectural Digest and Arts & Crafts Home. Chasworth is also an instructor at Citrus College and UC-Riverside.

Here is an opportunity for Arcadia Branch of AAUW members and their guests to learn more about design and color by attending the meeting on Monday evening, January 13, at the Church of the Good Shepherd`s Jordan Hall, 400 W. Duarte Road, Arcadia ( SW corner of Duarte Road and Holly Avenue) Refreshments will be served. This free meeting is open to the public and ample parking is available in the church parking lot. Socializing takes place at 6:30 p.m. with Jeanette Chasworth`s presentation to follow at 7:00 p.m.

To learn more about the program or about membership in the American Association of University Women (AAUW), please call Tamara Kato at (626) 375-6756 or Patricia Dietrich at (626) 446-8437.

New Years - Bingo and Luncheon

Arcadia Senior Services is having a social Luncheon and Bingo on Friday, January 17, 2014. The event will take place at the Arcadia Community Center, 365 Campus Drive, starting at 10:00 a.m. and ending approximately at 1:00 p.m. Cost is $10.00 non-refundable, includes a delicious catered lunch; chicken casserole, corn bread, salad and more! There will be a professional BINGO Board and each person receives one 10-pack of BINGO cards. The winners will receive gift card prizes. Daubers can be purchased for $1.00. Tickets are on sale now and last day to purchase is January 10th. If you need additional information please call Arcadia Senior Services, (626) 574-5130.

Save the Date: Temple City High School Annual Spring Musical

Disney`s Beauty and the Beast, San Gabriel Mission Playhouse, March14–16, 2014. For ticket information, call (626) 548-5160 or visit www.templecitybrighterside.org for more information.